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China Reiterates Claim To Walled City

# FOR HOLIDAYS

A full supply of water is to be given on the Island and Mainland at Chinese New Year from 6 a.m. on the 9th to 10 p.m. on the 11th instant. Thereafter. the restrictions at present in force will be reimposed,

## Anglo-U.S. Plan For Germany

Berlin, Feb. 6. The British and American authorities today issued the charter for Bizonia which gave the time since the war all fully without political defence of Hong Kong. powers.

At the same time proclamations were issued providing for the Bizonia system to come into effect on Feb. 9 and its establishment for functioning within 15 days thereafter.

It created an Economic Council of 104 næmbers-double the present number-with consulered to economic powers and stances, executive, legal and enforcement powers in that fold.

the strongest possible emphasis on the fact that political powers Kowloon, Britain was not empowered their successors. are not granted for governing the combined Anglo-American | Zones of Western Germany.

The authorities said the chap-[measures" having gone ter should not be called a con. when the squatters dispute arose, the stitution since it did not come from the German people but feels very strongly that the responfrom the occupation authorities The States Parliaments will borne by the Hong Kong' Govern elect new members of the Coun-ment. cil, one for each 750,00 popula-

United Press.

### GOLD FOUND ON H.K. SHIP

Shanghai: Feb. 6. which arrived from Hong Kong [ on Wednesday.

A Chinese man, Au Yeung- duties devolving upon him". kan 27, was knocked down and Urging Britain to "obtain the profatally injured by a P.W.D. lorry per perspective of the Convention of m Wanchai Road, near Cathay Theatre, at about 11.45 Kowloon, the note said: p.m. yesterday.

## Exception Taken To British View

Nanking, Feb. 6.

government was functioning, in the

form of a special area over which

"Outmoded System"

force of circumstances . . , without

renouncing her jurisdiction in respec-

tive reserved areas. That the failure

of Britain to observe even this reser

vation in despect of Kowloon, which

stands now as the last vestige of at

outmoded system, would have the

most unfortunate repercussions it

China's note cited the Sino-Ameri

can and Sing-Russian treaties period

"juri-dictional island": within carl

The British Government contends

jurisdiction over Rawloon valv by the

No Solution

ment," indicates that continued nego-

tintions between British and Chinese

officials have failed to find common

ground in the interpretation of the

i wording of the treaty concerning the

Cheng's note made no mention as

which the British Consulate and

other property in Canton was destroy-

ed nor of the British formal demand-

London, Feb. 6.

Trade Union leaders said to-

day that they will ignore Gov-

ernment's plea for a voluntary

moratorium on pay increases.

hour for its 100,000 members.

to the Chinese riots as a result.

leased Kowloon territory.

related Press.

lar views.

night.-United Press.

South China

velopment of South China as one of

The paper added that Gen. Weile

meyer's recommendation was con

of the current fiscal year.

Nanking, Feb. 6.

as proof of the contention that

Chinese Government reserved

leased territory.

China is still endeavouring to re-establish sovereignty over the Kowloon Walled City, throughnegotiations with the British authorities, Dr. Wang Shih-chieh, Foreign Minister, told the State Council today. He reported, however, that no headway had been made in the talks currently held in Nanking and London.

Simultaneously the Foreign Office this afternoon released the text of the reply of the Chinese Ambassador in London to the British Foreign Office note of Jan. 24, reiterating Chinese severeignty in Kowloon Walled City and affixing the responsibility for the incident concerning the eviction of squatters upon the Hong Kong Government.

jurioliction.

Ambassador Cheng Lien Hsi's note mands from the powers seeking

"It is true that the relevant pro-Germans for the first vision of the Peking Convention to gasting the Kowloon walled city graks Chinese afficials now stationed the trappings of broad there' and requires them to exercise government — but care- includiction in a manner consistent with the military requirements for th

"But these few words cannot logi cally be taken to mean only the perons then holding other in the city and not to include all their successors

### Responsibility

"Moreover, nowhere in the Convention regarding Rowlmon's walled its is there to be found any provivian for the withdrawal of the Chinese afficials under any circum-

"The the conterve, the stipulation The issuing authorities but newly-leased territory, Britain shall Chinese officials stationed there at the have sole jurisdiction' necessarily im- I time of the agreement, and that they plies that within the wall city of should have the jurisdiction and not ns exercise such jurisdiction"

Deploring the Chinese warning igainst the employment of "coercive I note says: "The Chinese Government sibility for the unfortunate incidents in the Kowloon walled city should be

### "Provocative"

"The provocative action on the The Economic Council is em- pair of that Government, taken at a powered to raise tax money by lime when conversations were still in customs, excise, postal services, progress between the two sides, with rail and transport taxes, -- a view to reaching an amicable set tlement, contributed mainly to the deteriorating situation which led to the series of events that followed, in I for compensation.-Reuter and Assocluding the incident in Shamern on

The note also took exception to the British view that the Po On magistrate's visit, to the Kowloon walled TUC Shock Alert preventive officers, of trace's visit, to the Kowloon walled dig- vity was parity responsible for the covered and seized 280 ounces Kowloon incident, stating that the of gold aboard the Jardine faction taken by the Po On magissteamer, 8.8. "Wing Sange, trate in visiting the walled city and comforting the eviction on Jan, 5 was the least a magistrate, legally responsible for the administration of the city area, should do in discharging

the 1898 regarding the leased territory of

"Unable to resist succeessive d

## Rice Rationing In Canton

Canton, Feb. 6. Rice rationing is to be introduced in Canton if the present plans of the authorities materialise. This will be the first time that any commodity

has been rationed in the Kwangtung capital. Government inspectors are at than is now paid in the open present checking the number of market. This would prove a boon people in each household, and to the populace, most of whom it is hoped to start the scheme are of the labouring and middle next month.

likely to be similar to that themselves and their families Lt.-Gen. Albert Wedemeyer's recomfollowed in Hong Kong. Ration owing to the general instability mendation to concentrate on the decards will be issued and certain of prices. shops will be assigned to sell the rationed rice.

Page Two Ito Sentenced. Page Seven Hong Kong, and Japan, Page Twelve Today's Races: Softball.

classes whose earnings hardly The system of distribution is suffice to maintain adequately said today the Government will adopt

The cost of living in Canton the main features in the overall economic reconstruction programme has shown a marked increase in Under the scheme it is hoped the past few days owing to the to provide rice at a lower cost approach of the Chinese. New Year festivities. A picul of rice tained in a personal letter from the now costs CN\$1,600,000 for American general to Generalisation

first grade quality. Chiang Kai-shek. Some reports state that householders have been warned by the Government is planning to boost tive. the inspectors against giving production of fron ore in Hainan Island and tin ore in Yunnan for false information, particularly export in order to obtain foreign regarding the ages of males in exchange. The construction of a the family who are liable for military service, Reuter, contemplated .- United Press.

## DIVORCE RULING RELIEF

London, Feb. 6. The Archbishop Canterbury, Dr. Geoffrey Red Plot statement expressing the ! 'relief" of the Church of England that the House of Lords, the highest legal authority in the had country, against the granting o decrees of nullity cases where it was alleged that the use of con-strengthen Shanghat's defences. traceptives prevented the consummation of marri-

China should continue to exercise Dr. Fisher declared that law lords had been prepared to grant nullity decrees on these "In other words, China yielded to grounds, "the door would have been opened in the case of every childless marriage to collusive applications for nullity and thus to 'trial marriages' with nullity Monday in which police clashed as a way of ending them."

> The Church would continue to accept for its own purpese all decrees of nullity "but] the insistence of the Church upon the obligations of parentmony remains untouched," the should show efficiency Archbishop said.

"The Church could not have ret using the innocent, that the treaty provided continued gone on accepting nullity decrees made by the state "once the way that civic leaders write down

The Chinese note, which concluded that "in order to prevent further aggravation of the situation, the Chinese Government carnestly urges the British Government to accede to requests for a proper settlement put used.---Reutor. forward by the Chinese Govern-

## OFFICER ON CHARGE Shanghal, Feb. 6.

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Lt. Danlel and two other suspects will shortly face a court martial on charges of sinuggling activities between Hong Kong, Shanghal and North China, a spokesman of the United States Navy her disclosed. The total sum involved is said to reach US\$40!000. -Central News.

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# Shanghai

Shanghal, Feb. 6. Alarmed by rumours that the lommunists are plotting fresh major riots around Chinese New Year, the Shanghai Social Security Promotion Committee —a semi-official civic organisation—today petitioned the Government for immediate steps to

The Committee urged Government either to transfer strong units to Shanghai or take steps to organise the city's own

Meanwhile, the city author riffes are reported to be re erniting 1,000 additional policemen. It was pointed but that during the third major riot on with cotton mill hands the law officers showed "signs I futigue" having tackled two previous riots within five days.

The Committee recommended hood as the chief end of matri. | that the judicial machinery punishing the riot leaders and Another resolution suggested

was opened to collusive claims their views on the Government ban against "commercialised 17 dismissed the appeal against Chinese impression that the the decision of the lower courts, Government should avoid tackrefusing a decree of nullity. ling "small matters" disturbing The Lords held that marriage the people when confronted had been consummated even with such major issues as the engine room. The heat of the scheduled performance in the though contraceptives had been civil war and the runaway fire had penetrated through the Inflation.—United Press.

## CHINA'S BID TO DISASTER Shanghai, Feb. 6.

Stating the Chinese Government was sincere in its efforts to combat the many sided difficulties facing the nation, Dr. Chang Kia-ngau, Governor of the Central Bank, told a large gathering of local American business leaders last night that Sino-American cooperation was imperative in the solution of the various pro-

He heartily endorsed a ten-point programme for international reform advanced by Premier Chang Chun to ensure the efficient utilization of American aid.

Furniture Trade Workers, said second world war as China's ally based. his Union would disregard Gov- and stressed the importance of "As a result the inflation spiral American aid in the common fight cannot be arrested and recuperaits claims for an extra 4d, an for peace and reconstruction.

He expressed the hope that . Leaders of bus and ship- American aid would help China to to have outside assistance in order building unions expressed simi- balance her budget which he said to increase our strength of resisis a prerequisite to arrest China's tence and resilience."-Reuter. The Prime Minister, Mr. monetary inflation. Clement Attlee, will elaborate on

Government's wages policy in a brondcast over the BBC at 9.15 today are quite comparable to GMT (5.15 a.m. HK time) to- those of wartime—let the people Way 'I America and China be more courageous and accept the responsibility-of challenging the world revolution we are facing." Dr Bao Dai, arrived in Paris y i-

the situation today is not to be East. overlooked. China after eight years of strife is still engaged in | Bno Dai's vigit to the capital was The official Central Daily News a civil war and as a result unpre- purely private, and he would ecdented infiation bests our people. have no "official" talks with the This is an unhappy aftermath. French Government during his Moreover, this civil war in China stay. is precipitated by an organised force which has worldwide significance and is theroughly destructive in nature.

plete destruction of all means of production and communication but also alms at destroying the spirit The Central Daily reported that of individual liberty, and initia-

Aid Essential "With ideological propaganda it is destroying the very frame steel factory in Hainan also is being the Chinese social structure, and its institutions. This would mean firmation. Reuter.

Dr. Chang paid a glowing tri- the whole destruction of the very A.G. Tomkins, general secre- bute to the help given by the hature and strength upon which tary of the National Union of United States to China during the our resistance and recovery are

> ation becomes more difficult. "Under such conditions we have

# Destruction Of Spirit Bao Dai On

Paris, Feb. 6. The ex-Emperor of Annam, terday afternoon from Lycus, He continued: "The gravity of on his way back to the Far

Oversens Ministry said that

The ex-Emperor is travelling the scene. to Hong Kong to begin consultation with representatives of "It not only aims at the com- Vietnam. He is the supreme shortly after 10 a.m. Government-Reuter.

Noreton, Feb. 6.

R.A.F. Squadron-Leader Bill Waterton established a new air speed record of 515.89 miles an hour today for the 100 kilometres closed circuit. The record is subject to con-

# H.K. STEAMER H.K. SMUGGLING Dramatic Rescue

The 1,100-ton s.s. "Hsin Kong So," carrying a full cargo of cassia, fire-crackers, camphor wood, Chinese herbs and more than 200 people was completely gutted by fire yesterday morning while en route from Macao to Hong Kong.

The 140 passengers and 67 crew, including the master, Captain F. R. Wood, left the blazing vessel in time. There were no casualties. Ambulances and doctors ordered to standby in Hong Kong for emergency cases were alerted in vain.

Isured for \$800,000.

lguard against looting.

At 8.15 p.m. No. 3 Palice

The vessel was formerly in [

the Hong Kong-Canton services

It was taken off the run, follow-

ing receipt by the owners of

threatening letters demanding

A spokesman for the Cathay,

soon, told Reuter this evening

that the 22 feminine members

tainers, who had recently ar-

rived from Hong Kong, will ber

sent back by air, probably early

the girls' presence on moral

next week "for the peace

mind" of certain members

The spokesman said

ladding that they were

girls and their moral

beyond question, but for the

chosen to miscontrue their pre-

sence, the management of the

club, which had engaged their

services, has decided to send

them back to Hong Kong." -

BRITISH CRUISER

FOR CHINA

The 5.270-ton cruiser Aurora

which has been loaned from

Portsmouth, Feb. 6.

iManila Opera House.

Manila, Feb. 6.

huge sums f r "protection".

On board the ship were 10 tout and save part of the ship cattle. These were pushed over was in vain. They fought the board before the fire enveloped outbreak for more than frut the ship and awam to safety. The ship burned for more than 10 h urs. Efforts by a Fire Float gutted. It is reported to be in from Hong Kong were futile. The fire had got a firm grip on the ship by the time it arrived. Launch brought back the remain-

Captain Wood's wise decision ing passengers—110—and wer to beach the vessel and the calm- back to the burnt out ship to ness of the passengers and crew are the main reasons for no casualties being recorded. While the ship was burning,

fishing junks and sampans hur-former "Unture," of Vancouyer, noose fashioned from a sleeping ried to help. Three passing She is licenced to carry 500 | bag. river-steamers took on some of passengers. the passengers. Total Loss

ed to be a total loss. It is beach- i cd at Lantae Point. Delayed for an hour owing to neap tide, the "Hsin Kong So" left Macao for Hong Kong at 4 a.m. An hour later, with Tai-O n sight, the ship slowed down owing to the shallow water.

The "Hsin Kong So" is believ-

When near Shekchuchuen Fan Lau, the engine room signalled that a fire had broken out in the engine room as a result of an oil pipe bursting. This was about 6.20 a.m. Captain Wood immedintely ordered the passengers and crew to put on life-belts and of the Chinese troups of enterto stand-by for disembarkation. The fire was eventually extingushed. The passengers and

crew took off their lifebelts and began settling down again—sime The House of Lords on Dec dancing" reflecting the general to sleep again and others to the Manila, who protested against dining half to gossip. A few minutes later, smoke grounds. was seen seeping through cracks The 14 male members of the

in the No. 1, hold adjoining the troupe will remain for their dividing steel plates and ignited there was nothing illegal a cargo of Chinese herbs, camp- nected with the girls entry, hor-wood and general cargo.

### Blazing Furnace

The passengers were again peace of mind of that portion alerted to stand by with their of the community which has life-belts on for disembarkation. Apparently realising that would be practically impossible to get the cutbreak under control with the fire fighting apparatus on Reuter. board the Captain decided to beach the vessel on Lantao Is-

In a few minutes, No. 1 hold was a blazing furnace. The fire fighting unit on board the vessel was unable to prevent the fire from spreading.

When the ship was beached, the Captain ordered the lowering of all available boats. The passengers remained calm throughout. Fishing junks and sampans rowed up to the burnling ship to help.

Women and children were the first to leave the ship. Male passengers followed and then members of the crew. Captain Wood was the last to leave.

The s.s. "Mei Wah" and s.s. "Wing Hing" on their way to Macao from Hong Kong passed the burning vessel at about 9 n.m. They stopped to inquire whether any assistance was required and at the same time took on board more than 10 of the passengers from the "Hsln Kong So" who had decided to return to

### Luggage Lost By this time all the passen-

gers and crew had been landed. The ship's chief clerk, Ho Hon, boarded a Revenue Department maintained that American as-Launch from Cheung Chau and sistance, when forthcoming, will went to Tai-O Police Station to be given exclusively to construcreport. The Police there in turn tive projects. informed the Water Police. As a result, Fire Float No. 2 with 10 firemen under Station Officer Yuan, asserted that China sure is relatively low over Slam and to C.W. Browne was despatched to

While the fire float was speeding to the burning "Hsin' Kong political and religious groups in So," s.s., "Kwangsal" passed Tal-O Tho political adviser to the Vistnam "Kwangsal" brought back to Hong Kong 30 of the passengers , and the 67 crew. All the passengers had lost most of their luggage, Their only possessions were the clothes they wore and one or two small packages and small leather or raten cases.

Kong's Aremon to put the fire China's self-help efforts.

### kla have been put on the in case Moslem

separatist activities there give rise to an emergency. Some Moslem elements in the area have been campaigning for separation, for Siam to join the Malayan Union. Slamese Government circles claim these elements are unrepresenta-

Slamese troops in the southern district of Song-

Bangkok, Feb. 6.

# error

tive.—Reuter.

The vessel was completely Paris, Feb. 6. General Otto von Stulpnagel. 10. former German Military Governor of Paris, hanged himself today in his prison cell to avoid interrogation on war crimes charges before a Paris Float returned to Hang Kong by I nulitary tribunal tomorrow. Stulpringel hanged himself in The "Hsin Kong So" was the Cherche-Midi Prison with a

> He held a double rank, being general of an army corps and a Luftwaffe general. He was the German commander in France and Military commander of the Greater Paris area from

October, 1940 to June, 1942. Stulphagel is accused of carrying out a reign of terror in Paris and charged with complicity in murder, pillaging, sequestration and destruction. He was the fourth top Nazi to commit suicide. The first was Hermann Goering and the

Stulpangel once announce: reprisal executions ະວ⊊ ∻100 French for every one German assussinated unless the actual attackers were surrendered. Manystereprisals were carried out.—United Press.

second General Franz Beehme.

Athens, Feb. 6. The Greek Navy has been ordered to sink at sight any submarine appearing in Greek waters, press reports said today. The reports added that ships carrying military equipment to Orecce would sail in convoy, escorted by destroyers or cor-

Greek Air Force planes have been ordered to carry out antisubmarine reconnaisances near the Greek coasts.

One German, submarine was reported to have been sighted recently near the port of Preveza in the Adriatic Sea and another, travelling on the surface, was said to have stopped a schooner between the island of Hiros and Crete,-Reuter.

the Royal Navy to the Chinese for China. The warship was Navy, left here today for Port- | manned partly by British and and, Dorset, on a "shakedown" partly by Chinese naval ratings. cruise preparatory to leaving -Reuter.

## Compulsory Loan In China Proposed

Nanking, Feb. 6. Chien Kuan-shan, leading Legislative Yuan member, today announced plans to introduce a resolution to the Legislative Yuan for the flotation of a US\$500,000,000 "compulsory" public loan to meet China's current huge budget deficit and make the rich men contribute to China's reconstruction.

United Press, Mr. Chien said he Legislative Yuan charged with strongly criticized the announced reviewing the budget, said he Government intention of de- will formally submit the resolupending on American aid to tion shortly.-United Press. balance internal spending. He

should follow the example of the east and north-east of Japan. the French Government of floating a public loan which should afternoon. "ration the rich men" for "com- Yesterday's Weather!pulsory purchase."

He said the experience of the short term U.S. dollar loan and Rainfall: Trace. Total since Jan. 1-Treasury notes last year showed that, the "free purchase" principle was unfeasible.

He said a "compulsory" loan pero, at m.s.l. ... 1022.9 1010.3 m.b. is the only sensible way to even up internal payments and would Every effort made by Hong be best fitting the expression of Wind Direction. Eby N E

In an interview . with 'the. Chien, who is on the special

### The Westher Mearine

Chien, considered one of the change in the anti-cyclone centred over strong men in the Legislative China and the neighbouring seas. Pros-Forecast: -- Moderate br. fresh 'north-cast winds, cloudy, with bright periods in the

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Big Fine

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tor, was fined the maximum of

\$3.000 on each of two charges

of maintaining and operating a

radio-communication station

without a licence, and with

illegal possession of a radio-

communication set without a

Heence, by Mr. W. A. Blair-

Kerr at Kowloon yesterday.

The alternative to the \$6,000

fine was 12 months' hard

Chan Keng (35), and Lau

Chuen (27), charged with Lam.

were each fined a total of \$3,000

On the defendants pleading

that they were only employed by

a Mr. Wong, whose address they

did not know, the Magistrate

remarked, "I om sure your em-

ployer will pay, your times for

you, You should have realised

that what you were doing was

Presecuting Det. Sub-Inspector

E.S. Brooks, Special Branch, said

that at 10 a.m. on Feb. 5 a

Police party visited 210 Tai Nom

Street, second Hoor, and found

the first and \*econd accused in

There was a transmitting and

receiving set, which was still

warm, in the room, Chan was

-Questioned Lam admitted be-

While the Police were on the

premises a number of ghone

mescages on exchange rates were

received. The telephone was just

Lau arrived shortly afterwards

and told the Police that he was

empl yed as a telephone clerk,

and that he gave all exchange

rates received by phone to first

RADIO CASE

On the application of Mr. J. M.

d'Almada Remedios, hearing of

the case against lu Po (37)

manager of the Good Earth &

Co., 171 Sai Yee Street, first floor,

was fixed by Mr. Blair-Kerr for

In was charged with possession

of a transmission valve, two tran-

smitting coils, and a Morse key

at the above address on Feb. 2.

accused, Det. Sub-Inspector Pil-

Keminders

Today

Cosmo Club Chinese New Year

H.K. Football Referees Associa-

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Race Meeting, Happy Valley, 2

Coming Events

TOMORROW

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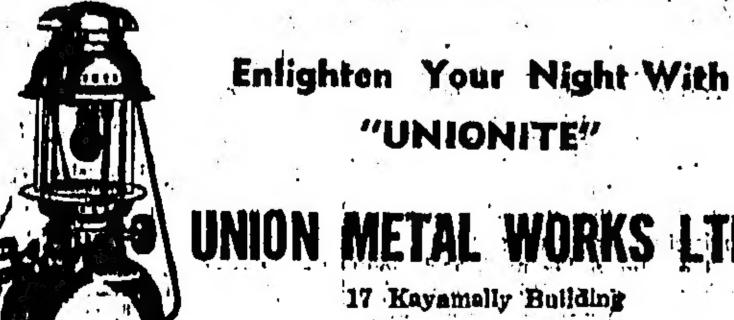
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## SENTENCE ON ITO

## General Gets 12 Years In Gaol Operator's

The War Crimes trial in which Lt. General Ito Takeo is charged on four counts of committing war crimes during the attack on the Colony in 1941 was brought to an end yesterday, when he was found guilty on two counts and sentenced to 12 years.

Refere starting his cosing! This must be attributed to the address, Major Comsby, for the wonderful personality of the the outcome of the case would court. He expressed his gratibe it had aroused great public tude for all they had done end. Theatre interest and he would like to ex- od by saying that though they press his thanks for the public might not meet again be would spiritedness of the ladies, who like to express the earnest and in the case, especially to the two to the court and the efficials.

The whole of the morning's shook hands with both counsel proceedings were confined to addresses by both counsel and in the afternoon, when the Court assembled, accessed was found personalia

Col. Matsumajo Shoji en be hat yesterday morning to conhalf of accesed, said that the sult the Chinese authorities accused was known for his connection with the "Million throughness and hig hearted- Dollar Buil Case," in which he ness. He was strict in seeing represents the Chinese Govern that orders were carried out and ment in extradition proceedings. he was loved by his subor-jugajost Hsu Chik-chweng, for dinates. This was reflected on merly of the Postal Remittance the field. He was always kind and Savings Bank at Shanghal. and sympathetic to P.O.W's who The case, in which Mr. Marcus came under him.

In the attack on Hong Keng, be heard on Feb. 18. when the Canadians with their limited strength, were overwhelmed by the Japanes after three days of fighting, Ito heard of the death of Brigadier Law son in battle,

### P.O.W.'s

He gave orders to the Regimental commander to take good care of the body and give it a proper burial.

On Dec. 25 on this way stopped at the burial place of 102 Austin Road, has been particulars of defence and Lawson and prayed for his

In the Dutch East Indies by Newspaper always treated non-combatants Story Denied

Witness recalled three occasions, in Timor when accused treated prisciers well. Once he allowed 200 P.O.W's to live they wished under their own officers, He had linison' officers to assist them.

Isyama Kaksu also\_spoke his behalf and mentioned the death of Brigadier Lawson. stated that he had been ordered by Ito to visit the grave of Lawson. During his three years and eight months in Hong Kong he had visited the grave three times and placed flowers there.

Commander Yoshino Sheza said that he knew Ito. as January 1944 accused was charge of an Army Unit in the Kwangsi told the "China Mail" Bismarek Archipelezo. Witness was senior staff officer of the Naval Unit there. Due to his position he was able to observe Ito and always found him to be

an upright and kind man. Not long after his arrival in New Ireland he arranged that all European and Chinese he looked after. He ordered the Jayanese soldiers to build burracks for them and permitted Chinese Lyric Tenor's Farewell | them to enter and leave as desired. Witness himself frequently visited the barracks and noticed that the guards, were kind to all and that the barracks was well supplied with food and medical supplies.

### Court Thanked

In Rabaul for war crimes and defendant's licence be suspended walking along the bridge at when his sentence was commut. for six months. ed all the Japanese were very

friction between the Army and the bend near the 7-mile stone. said SI Roberts, and defendant Navy but witness was always On passing the bend, accused should have stopped. When he ready to support accused and overtook another private car saw the woman in front. give him support as he was al- and, at the next curve, attempted According to the prosecuting ways certain that accused was to pass a bus.

I always insist to 12 years he was given per- travelling a fast speed. mission to speak. He thanked In another case before the The car, when examined, was the court for its attention during same Magistrate, SI Roberts in- found to be in a very bad conhe was easy in his mind as to a very bad condition.

# Author

Alleged infringement copyright in two Chinese dramatic works. entitled "Chai Kiu Long Kang Kiu" and "Ho Chu See Nung Ka" formed the basis of an action for prosecution, said that whatever president and members of the damages by Fung-Chifun against The World before Gould (Puisne Judge) at the had come forth to give evidence fervent hope for all good wishes Supreme Court yester-

> After the court arcse, accused Fung was represented by M P.J. Griffiths of Messrs, Wiland interperters. kinson and Grist, while Mr. F. H. Loseby appeared for The World Treatre.

Mr. Peter Sin left for Shang-

The wedding of Mr. Melvin

Leeroy Ogden, Diesel Engineer

37 Kimberley Road, Kowloon,

to Miss Lan Yet Chang, took

place at the Supreme Registry

yesterday in the presence of

Mr. J. L. Cranna and Miss Car-

Mr. Edward E. Evans William,

Engineer, Jardine Matheson &

Co., Ltd., to Miss Titi Chow of

Po" yesterday that Chinese na

Kong to Taiwan will in future

travel certificate when landing

Chinese official circles,

for

men Gonsalez.

announced.

Affairs)

The plaintiff, who is described as a song writer, claims to be the author and owner of the copyright in the two dramatic' works forming the subject of

The defendants are alleged to have infringed the plaintiff's performing or authorising permitting the performance, da Silva is defending Hsu, will tiff at the World Theatre.

tonese dialect.

The plaintiff therefore claim- Land Officer. ed damages or, alternatively, an The forthcoming wedding of deem fit to award. Mr. Justice Gould fixed th

case for hearing on Mar. 10, as 2.30 p.m. and made an order for mutual discovery,

### EUROPEAN IN COURT

J. Bruyere of the Optorg Co. Reports in the "Wah Klu Yat French Bank Bldg., was summoned at the Central Magistionals , travelling from Hong tracy yesterday before Mr. J. G. Conklin on a charge of dangerbe regarded as everseas Chi- ous driving, for which he was nese and will have to possess a fined \$100. TS Melinnes, prosecuting, told

in Iniwan, were discounted in the Court that Mr. Benn was driving along Repulse Bay The report said that this men- Road on December 31 when desure was to be enforced to pre-I fendant overtook him at a fast vent infiltration into Taiwan of speed. Nearing a bridge, Mr. Communist elements from Hong Benn saw defendant pass another car and yet another ahead. A representative of the Spe- | He then rounded a bend on the cial Commissioner ' (Fereign wrong side of the road.

Kwangtung-Quarantine restrictions yesterday that no such instruc-| been imposed against arrivals tions had been received from from Bangkok and Haiphong on account of smallpox.

## Castle Peak Road Traffic Cases

"Do you think that was a smart thing to do?" asked Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr of 29-year-old licensed driver Tin Hon-sang, charged at Kowloon yesterday with dangerous driving at Castle Peak Road at 6 p.m. on Feb. 5.

"No." replied defendant, who, without due care and attention. added that, he drove at a speed | was driving private car 447 of 30 kilometres per hour.

Ito was condemned to death of \$350 and recommended that when he ran into a pedestrian According to Sub-Inspector F. slightly injured.

Roberts, defendant's lorry over- There were some larries on During the war there was took a private car just before the bridge at the same time,

the 10 days of trial and added formed the Court that the car dition, said SI Roberts, and was that once the case had started driven by Lau Kun (27) was in handed over to the Traffic Dehow his trial would be conducted. Lau. charged with driving Defendant was fined \$200.

along Castle Peak Road towards The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$3

Taun Wan. The woman was only including tax for all persons including ladies, and is pay-

officer, accused stated "I have After accused was sentenced patrol at Kwai Chung, still ed. to explained why he did not Building. avoid the woman.

partment.

## Right Of Court To Hear Appeal Against Judgment

The question as to whether the Full Court of Appeal has jurisdiction to hear an appeal against; the judgment of Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Chief Justice), upholding the decision of the District Officer, New Territories, was raised before a Full Court comprising Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Puisne Judge) and Mr. Justice J. Reynolds (Acting Additional Judge), yester-

the matter, judgment was Territorics Ordinance, it was pro-

of an appeal by Cheung Sau-tim proceedings relating to land in who sought, on Jan. 20, 1947, an the New Territories, should be order that the judgment of Mr. commenced in the Supreme Court. Territories, given on Aug. 23, 1947. once gone to the Supreme Court, and Oct, 17, 1947, be reversed. by way of appeal, that there was

appellant is now desirous of preted as limiting the rights of appealing to the Full Court, but the parties in the Supreme Court.

copyright in the two works by respondent, Cheung Yul-lam, Territories. appeared in person.

public, of cinematograph films Full Court of Appeal had gained Supreme Court by virtue of the without the consent of the plain- for itself the greatest respect of New Territories Ordinance and The films here the same title would indeed be most unfortunate Full Court and Jurisdiction to as that of the two works. Both if the right to come to this Full entertain an appeal of the natures works consist of dialogue and Court was not available to per- contemplated. songs in Cantonese. The dialogue sons in the New Territories, and songs are also in the Can. b und originally to take their view of the importance of the cases before the Court of the matter, the Court would reserve

He referred to Section 23 of account of the profits and such the New Territories Ordinance. other relief as the Court might which stipulated that every judgment or order of the Land Officer and every entry thereof In the Land Register should be conclusive for all purposes, provided that any person who considered himself aggrieved by any such judgment or order and entry might, within three months from the date of judgment, after obtaining a certificate from the Land Officer that the subject of the land in dispute exceeds \$2,000. move a judge a vary or set aside I such judgment.

In view of the importance of Under Section 24 of the New! vided that except by way of The question was the outcome appeal from the Land Officer, no Barrow, District Officer New | It could not be said that having The appeal was dismissed by anything in the New Territories, Mr. Justice Williams and the Ordinance that could be inter-

this body feels that is has no There was only one possible jurisdiction to hear the appeal. [exception and that was laid down Mr. B. A. Bernacchi, instructed in Section 25 of the Ordinance, by Mr. A. S. C. Comber of Messrs. whereby the Court might apply, Hastings & Co., is appearing for the laws and customs of China Cheurg Sau-tim (appellant). The in matters pertaining to the New

The appeal to Mr. Justice Mr. Bernacchi said that the Williams was an appeal to the the people of the Colony and it that under the circumstances, the Mr. Justic Gould said that in



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(Tel. 27818). NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S The Magistrate imposed a fine Kowloon, at 5 p.m. on Feb. 5, PREMISES DURING THE MEETING.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

able at the Gate. Bookmakers, Tie Tac men, etc. will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

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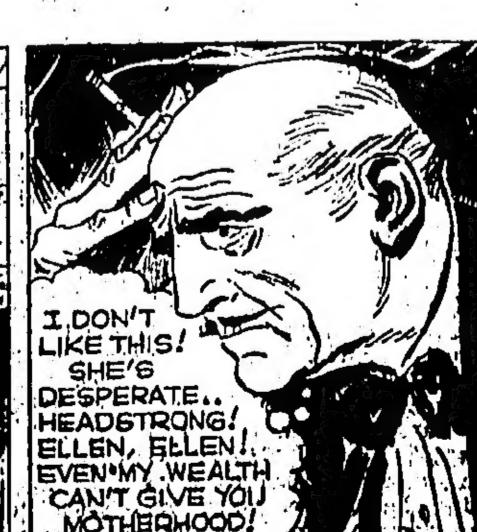
possession will forfelt the same and will be removed from the BY ORDER.

S. A. SLEAP, Actg. Secretary.

BY ALEX RAYMOND









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## VERANDAH TRAGEDY: Amah's DRIVER COMMITTED

## Gang At Work In Hong Kong

The existence of a gang of women and children operating Wanchut and Central Getimiszty shopkeeperg was alleged by DSI A, F, Cochrame at Central Magistracy yestemale, Wong Mosching unhawker, appeared be. fore Mr. F. X d'Almada charged on two larceny counts, and one of receiving.

months' impressment and commended for hardaliment,

that at 10 10 am, on Feb 3, the debris. It had mounted the next to a clearette stall at the pain in her stomach, men and children intered the Dor Dor Ho Shop, Johnston Road, The "game occupied all Eight-year-old Chenng Suk- one crawied under a table and that he had warned her had been been and that he had warned her

bar belonging to Mrs. Lenny verandah on the first floor, cutsble the house, said she saw Yout, a customer, was missing. She followed her friend but saw the lorry hit the pillar. The DPC Chan Chemps, beganns and adarm, acrested detendant whom ther in, but she went down with he saw leaving the shop cary, the pillar when the wrandah ! mig a basket in which was sunk down," the youthful wit. tener the bar containing \$50 tash and personal articles.

At the Police Station, it was a discovered that Wong had apply ple t the same methods on Feb. 4 Ytam 2 at the Kwong Fat Yuen [ Tailor Shop, Des Veens Road Central, and got away with two I herts suit lengths, valued at \$200

Two boys involved on that occasion were dealt with by Mr. Thomas Tam, one being sen tenced to six mouths' imprisonment and the other to five yeurs' reformatory,

DSI Cochrane added: "This gang has been continually operating in the Wanchai and Central areas, applying same technique They crows round the counter and get the tokis engaged. Then the l small boys, whom they employ. lay their hands on anything possible and leave,"

There members of the gang had already been agrested an convicted, DS1 Cochrane said,

## Cut Phone Cables

one year in prison assimilating the dock that Mr. Conklin re. Central. the fact that "egime doesn't

Charged with maliclously damaging the property of the "They are tipping one another military authorities at Tytam Reservoir on Feb. 1, Kwak Kwan, 19, Tsang Shu-tsau, 29. picked up the branch. Hung and Li Kam-chu, 21, were sen-Kwung, 28, corrobated. tenced to one year's hard labour by Mr. Conklin at Central and Hung but fined the other Magistracy yesterday.

Inspector Brownrigg said that Lieut. Sidney saw several Chi-

nese cutting telephone cables on volvers, robbed two huts about a hillside near Tytam Reser- 200 yards from the Railway tunvoir and causent first defendant, nel, Shatin side, yesterday, getwho then led him to the homes ting away with a total of \$104 of the other two. Nine pieces of cable, each measuring 30 feet, were cut. The prosecution stated that Gascoigne Road, near King's

the area,

# Survivors Give Evidence

Eye-witness accounts of the Queen Victoria Street tragedy on Dec. 22 afternoon when a E.U. Vehicle driven by Ricardo Santos collided with a pillar, bringing down the verandah of No. 82, Des Veoux Road, Central, killing a 17year-old girl student and injuring several others, were related at Central Magistracy yesterday before Mr. F. X. d'Almada.

side of No. 82, Des Vocux Road,

corner when she saw the forry

turn into the street at a fast

speed. It hit the first pillar,

men later brought her out and

Prison Officer A. C. Venebles

said that he saw the E.U

vehicle descending the slope

from Central Police Station,

swerving from side to side. He

A "Big" Drink

amined the truck No. 8615 after

\*the accident and found it in

had suffered extensive damage

from defendant who said that

fendant said he went to the

Air Pump Brake

PC 3322, defendant declared,

asked him to take him to his

then remembered that he for-

mission to drive the lorry.

[good mechanical condition,

! particularly at the front,

TSI N. Senior said he ex-

L.:1222

Lat-wan, 15-year-old

Richardo Santos charged with Witness went downstairs but dangerous driving, driving with- idld not see her friend anymore permisssion, and man- Sung Yin-tak, 26, unemploya 26 year old staughter, was committed for ed, said he was walking on the

Mr. Sydney Ng Quinn, for de- about a foot away from tendant, reserved bin defence, second of the three pillars. He Mr. W. Brand, D.C.O., Fire heard a vehicle and turned Brigade, said he heard the round to see it crashing into the sound of a crash and saw dust [first pillar. He was buried unand debris mushrooming from der the debris and was extri-pleaded the junction of Queen Victoria to Queen Marry Hospital and his window overlooking the discharged the following day.

ommended for bankshment. He went to the scene and DSI Cochrane told the Cockt saw a police truck under the woman, said she was sitting walk for two weeks and felt a wool could be sold at \$22 if a street and was facing south,

Child's Story

the counters and got all the Central, giving evidence, said debris. she was playing with a class-When they left a ladies' hand, mate, who then went out to the girl student, who was sitting that an iron pillar was pinning verandah collapsed on her and her down, "I attempted to pull she rereamed for help, Fire-

Six Chinese appeared at the Central Magistracy vesterday before Mr. J. Cenklin, charged with possessing prohibited he did not know what he was plants, and four were fined.

doing. Santos stated that he Fong Nam, 25, and Lam Fat, could not remember who told 17, charged with possessing him to drive, nor could be remember who was with him. He three branches each of "Rhedodid not recollect the route he leia Chamdiowi" plant on Feb. took. Defendant admitted tak-2, were fined \$25 or three days, in a "big" drink of beer. Defendants said that they! SI Eggleston, who conducted picked up the branches on the the proceedings, said that in a statement made on Dec. 26, de-

In a similar case Forrest E.U. Canteen with some friends Guard No. 57 said that he saw | to have tea or coffee. He took four Chines, coming from Tytam beer, but was not used to drink- noon when Miss Nina Quinn, daugh-Reservior at 3 p.m. on Feb. 5, [ing it. lone of whom was carrying a branch of the "Shan Kut" plant | rang another a knife. duty post and didit in such a

marked: "What are they murmuring about?"

Inspector Brownrigg replied:

off on how to reply," Lam Kam-wing, 30 said they

Mr. Conklin cautioned Lam two \$25 or one week. Six men, some armed with re-

Two Chinese, walking along

there had been a great deal of Park, at about 6.30 p.m. yesterstealing of military cables in day were held up and robbed of two wrist watches.

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## Summons Dismissed

Franklin Birrel, of No. 15 Braemar Terrace, appeared at Central Magistracy yesterday before Mr. J. G. Conklin to nuswer in common assault summons brought against him by a Chinese amah, Yiu Ho.

Mr, Conklin, saying that had complainant produced witnesses, her case would have been stronger, dismissed the summons. He added that defendant did not assault the woman intentionally.

structed by her mistress to call ment to sell at that price. her daughter from No. 14 . Braemar Terrace. She shotted and threw her 10 feet away on of wool to the ground.

dant helped her and said, taken the risk, however.

that she laughed at defendant, was \$17,00 per pound. before the incident,

Defendant said he had been Ill for some time and was recuperating. He had previously dered for non-payment. warned the amaha not to make a horrible noise outside as it! was essential that he should Bay, was fined \$450 or one have tranquillity.

the doorbells.

Ylu appeared to understand jumped into a cul-de-sac for what he said in English and lesson. This is your second mitted a trespass on the whole safety and reported the matter when she did not heed his offence. It's deliberate," Mr. of the premises without the conwarning he approached her and d'Almada remarked. placed a hand on her shoulder. Lam Man-ching, Hoi Tui, 31, decessors in title on Oct. 27, She resisted and "I increased Western Street, was fined \$25 | 1947. my pressure," Birrel said. Yiu for selling a pound of Kings. The plaintiff wrote to defenfell and he helped her up. He ford Cornstarch at \$1.00 (\$0.20 dant giving him notice to quit was surprised that she should cents.) have fallen, as he did not Soo Shut Ching. Chuan the premises, but the latter failher whether she was burt but at \$3.20 (\$3.15). she ran away," Birrel continued:

Pearce—Quinn

A charming wedding took place at St. Joseph's Church yesterday afterter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Quinn, became the bride of Mr. Thomas Alexander Pearce elder son of Mrs.

and the late Mr. T. E. Pearce. The bride, who was given away Cheng For, a 35-year-old manner as to impress him that by her father, were a beautiful fullcook, accused Tse Sun, 24, of cutting the plant. Tse denied that he had a knife on him.

There was so much nurmurated and an anomal that he defendants in the large and the defendants in the defendants in the large and the larg Three memployed will spend mg among the defendants in partment Bldg., Queen's Road, arried a shower bouquet of white When he reached the Central Market vicinity, he looked round but could not see PC3322, and thought he had fallen off. So he turned around to look for him. There were lots of people crossing the mouth of Queen Victoria Sirret and he braked as he entered it. But the vehicle a i not stop. Defendant then reinembered that he forgladioli. Attending the bride was

health and happiness was proposed was an airpump brake, explaining that he was worried about After the cutting of the three-tiered cake before about five hundred guests,

He admitted he had no per- Mr. and Mrs. Pearce left for their honeymoon at Repulse Bay Hotel.

## Watchman's Shots Stopped Them shot fired by an Indian watchman of the Nam

Jim Torch Factory did not stop three fugitives from justice but stopped two Chinese detectives who were chasing them, according to Det. Sub-Inspector C. Dowman when Lo Shing (28) was charged before Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday with factory breaking. Defendant, who pleaded guilty, With the Indian watchman,

was sentenced to two years' hard the detectives went into the lane labour and recommended for and there found accused squat-

At 3 a.m. on Feb. 2, said DSI Dowman, Det. Lance-Corporals man, defondant, told the detec-120 and 266 were on patrol duty Wvez that he dumped an electric in Peiho Street nenraUn Chau motor in Fuk Wing Street He

detectives to stop. The men ran Ha further admitted, con-and were chased by the Police cluded DSI Dowman, that the

Police whistles blown by the detectives attracted an Indian place of clothing from Jim Torch Factory who, seeing the premises. some person running in his direction, fired a warning sho with his shotgun.

The two detectives stopped to be collecting money for Chinese but not southe three suspects of various Gayernness Departments. The result, was that the Police of various Gayernness Departments of various Gayernness Departments. This is strictly liegal, by person approached in this matter is requestance by the place of the departments.

ting in a dark spot,

Street when they saw three men brought the detectives to the coming out of Pelho Street. Fuk Keung Knitting Factory.

As the men were all carrying 70 Fuk Wah Street, where he something on their shoulders, pointed to a hole, made by an they were called upon by the iron rod, in the back wall. three of them had stolen

## Court Argument Over Wool Price

Controversy over the retail controlled price of knitting wool led to six profiteering summonses being adjourned pending further inquiry into the matter by Price Control Inspector Pitman, when 14 defendants appeared before Mr. F. X. d'Almada at Central Magistracy yesterday.

"might have been the victims fined \$100 for selling a Lever's of wholesalers," told the Court health, scap at 70 cents (65 that his wholesaler had cents). guaranteed him that he could Au was given the alternative sell the wool at the maximum of a month closure. centrolled price of \$22 per Kwan Ping, Kwan Kwok pound, since he had permission Yuen, 40 Lockhart Read, was Yiu said that she was in. from the Price Control Depart- fined \$76 for selling a 14-oz tin

Mr. Pitman explained that following discussions on Dec. 3, for the girl outside, and, she the S.T. & I. permitted three I, Shepherd Street, Taihang, was alleged, defendant approached firms to sell at the maximum fined \$50 fer selling a 12-oz to her, grabbed her by the neck prict of \$22 for a certain type of Crusader unsweetened con-

Mr. d'Almada "The defendant | cents.) Complainant said she remain- might have acted innocently, and ed unconscious for about 10 a victims of his, wholesaler, minutes. She admitted defen. adding that he should not have was fined \$100 for selling a tin

letter from the S.I. & I. per-Under cross-examination by mitting the sale was produced. Mr. D. B. Evans, Ylu denied Otherwise the controlled price

### Closure Orders

Two closure orders were or Leung Kwok-kan, Tok Keong 126, Electric Road, Causeway for trespass by Lam Yau-mui. month closure for selling a The amaha did not need to cake of Lever's Health scap at shout, as they could easily ring 70 cents (65 cents). This was

his second offence. "You ought to have learnt a Sept. 1947. The defendant com-

Traffic Inspector McInnes think his hold was forceful Shum Tong, 173, Johnston Read, ed to comply. The plaintiff there said he obtained a statement enough. "I apologised and was fined \$50 for selling a bottle fore claimed an order for evichelped her," he said, "I asked of Phillips Milk of Magnesia tion.

Kee, 34, Elgin Street, was fined spent a considerable sum in re-\$25 for selling a 20-oz tin of habilitating the premises, which Robin Hood oats at \$1.50 were in a dilapidated condition (\$120).

One of the defendants, all of . Au Bing-chung, Wing Shing. whom Mr. d'Almada remarked Leong, 216, Lockhart Road, was

of Milo tonic, food at \$2.70 (\$2.50).

Lam Chow, Woo Hing Chan densed adk at 65 cents (60

So Heng Kan, Yut Lo. 83, Belcher Street, Kennedy Town, of Quaker Oats at \$1.60 (\$1.50).

# Order Made

An order for the eviction of Chan Wing-she and all other occupiers of 50 Po Kong Road, Kowloon, on or before Mar. 10. 1948, was made yesterday by Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Chief Justice), in an action Mr. A.S.K. Lau appeared for

plaintiff, while defendant ap peared in person. Mr. Lau said that the plain iff purchased the premises in

sent of the plaintiff or her pre-

and deliver up possession of

Defendant, in resisting plain-Ng Sau-ting, Yan Sheung tiff's claim, said that he had when he entered into possession

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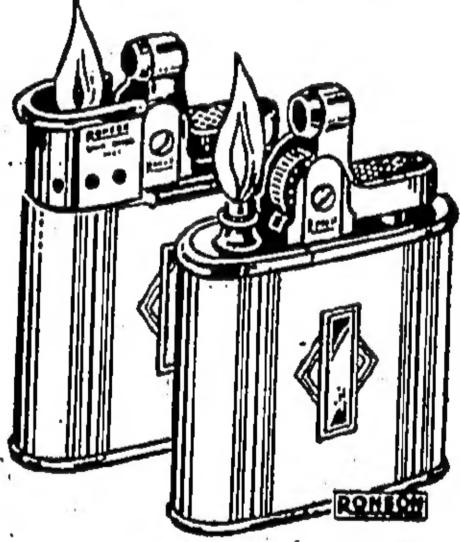
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At an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the INTERNATIONAL ASSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED, held at the Company's Head Office, 12-14 Queen's Road Central, at 11.00 a.m. on February 5, 1948, a resolution was unanimously adopted changing the name of the Company to

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J. JOLLY,

Department will

closed except

Director of Marine Marine Department,

DEPARTMENT OF IMPORTS & EXPORTS

Hongkong, 6th Feb., 1948,

### NOTICE

This Department will be closed on Tuesday, the 10th of February, and Wednesday, the 11th of February, 1948 for all the "Traffic Criticism" which al. What a heavy responsibility! purposes except for entry and clearance of ships' manifests between 9,00 a.m. and 10,00 a.m.

E. HIMSWORTH, Superintendent, Imports and Exports.

Dated: 4th February, 1948.

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The Public is hereby notified that a full supply of water wil be given on the Island and Mainland at Chinese New Year from 6 a.m. on the 9th to 10 Notice is hereby given that the p.m. on the 11th instant.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from Tuesday, 10th February, 1948, to Friday, 20th February, 1948, both days inclusive.

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## Readers' Letters

drivers' houses, they went to the

Court and paid fines without

employers until the Police In-

I personally, knew some pri-

pitty for them, trying to earn

heavy capitals, to give public

. . . .

**Britain Today** 

is only one word for their con-

Like J.B., my family and I

many of the things J.B. was

forced to do, it was a bitter pill

when after the war rations were

What happened immediately

after the war? America stopped

lease lend, if you want food, pay

for it-no sentiment in business,

what, a blow ofor us, we as a

Country bled white paying for

the war, how are we going to get

the necessary cash to pay for

food?-Export Export and still

more Exports, certainly gets on

my nerves keep having the word

Export rammed down by threat,

nevertheless we have got to face

. With regards to statements al-

leged to have been made by Miss

Loretta Young, I still say "Utter

Ret and Poppycock," I would

suggest that our friend the Film

Star visits East Side New York

and other working class districts

of America, I'm sure they could

do with her sympathy, essential

foods are rationed there, not

through any shortage, but high

prices Butter, Meat, Eggs etc.

are out of bounds to the small

wage earner, you will remember,

controls were lifted in America

If you want to blame the Gov-

ernment for the aftermath of the

mocratic right, I blamed the

Government in 1934 and before

that for allowing semi starvation

and malnutrition in the lower

working class districts of Lon-

don, Glasgow, Liverpool etc.,

after the war.

up to it.

treatment!

Sir,-The disclaimer from Long vehicles can control these mat- L.S.D. to pay for it. You re responsibility for removing ters as most of the public vehi- You ask me to be honest, adthe late Queen Victoria's statue cles are driven by pay drivers, mit things are bad in England, I metre band from 12,50 to 1,50, 6,50 to 7,30 CHINESE NEW YEAR It is hereby notified that as Tuesday 10th and Wednesday 11th February, 1948, have bee

at the time and said that the passengers, on the way back to but what a price, Butter, Bacon, Japs had not done the job but a Happy Valley, the driver may Lard etc., then look at the high local contractor, who had carried like to have an extra trip. i.e. rents, it certainly takes me all out "Operation Old Identities" picking up another passenger in my time to live up to the stand-

the invoders. case I am not aware but I have the proper accommodation approv- sidered myself much better off never seen any mention of who ed by the Commissioner of than my wife, who not only had did this job in our war crimes Police," another word is "tout- a baby to look after but was

or treason trials. of course, preventing idle gossip ness. against gentlemen who had no part in it! are generally delivered to the

WONKY WILLIE.

giving any information to their Traffic Sir.-Will you kindly permit me some space in your valued spector sends for the owner for journal to say a mething about suspension of yehicles licences. ready appeared in your esteemed papers the last two days.

Regarding the suspension of vate car owners, had committed beence or taking the public more than six offences in Court vehicles off the road, on account in Court in a year, yet his drivthe drivers have been committed ing licence and car are still on three offences, such as speeding, the road as usual. Why should touting for hire, carrying extra the public vehicle being treated rassengers, sounding the horn in this manner then? Justice! unnecessary or accidents on the Before I close, I wish to state Butchery Department. that these informations are ob-

I sincerely wish the local Au- tained from several reliable pub- All Branches thorities or your readers to in- He vehicle owners, as I feel quite

### HUMPHREYS ESTATE service and received this kind of East Point Cold Stores & & FINANCE CO., LTD.

NOT A PUBLIC VEHICLE NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Hong Kong Hotel, Hong Kong, on Friday, 27th February, 1948, at 12,00 NOON. for the purpose of receiving the Sir,-Your correspondent J. B Dairy Department Report of the Directors, to- has strayed quite a lot from the gether with a Statement of Ac- point in question. I endurse all Windsor House (Annexe only) ) February 10th-8.00 counts for the Year ended the points raised in her letter of 31st December, 1947, and for the 6th inst., in my opinion a Depot, 2 Lower Albert Road the election of Directors and special medal should be struck Rowloon Branch the appointment of Auditors, for all British housewives, there

And NOTICE is further duct throughout the war and in Peak Branch hereby given that the Register the present hard times-"Wonderand Transfer Books of the ful"-and I sincerely believed Company will be closed from the 14th to the 27th February, ed-all would have been lost. 1948, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer are Londoners, my wife and son of Shares can be registered. went through the Blitz, and did

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reduced, and many other items General Managers tput on ration. Hongkong, 6th February, 1948.



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from Statue square, during the Once a car leaves the garage on an honest, I never said things and 0.00 to 11.00 p.m. occupation somewhat intrigued stand, is entire on the hands of were good, times are bad in H.K.T. me, as I recollect during the war the drivers, whether he runs 5 England and will be for another encountering a British Intellig- m.p.h. or 60 m.p.h., the owner few years, nevertheless if my ence officer in China who spoke can never follow and keep watch firm said we are sending you of the dismantling and departure all the time. . If some one hires back next week, I will be quite of Hong Kong's cherished immor- a car from say Happy Valley to centent, quite a few of the good Kum Ling Restnurant, West things you mention are rationed He expressed great indignation Point, after dropping off the here I admit no ration cards,

for a few bags of rice-and quite front of the Queen's Theatre to and I'm expected to. v.luntarily-to curry favour with earn a small tips and being In conclusion Madam, during enught by a Police Officer charg- the War I was ploughing the Whether this was actually the ing him for "Failing to return to Ocean in a destroyer and I coning." These kind of offences are forced to go to business to sup-Surely the removal of our mostly happened without the plement my service pay, what Great Queen's emgy comes at consent or even knowledge of the with that and the ordent of Air least under the heading of lese ewner at all. But the owners Raids etc., I raise my hat to her majeste". And it should not be have to suffer great losses when and mothers like her who stuck difficult to arraign the real per- the vehicle being suspended for to their post during Britains petrator of this outrage, thereby, three calender months for busi- most critical time, to get back to the main point I still say it is Besides this, when any driver, utter rot to say there is starva-

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1.25 b.m .- Orchestral Interlude. 1.30 p.m .- Studio: Italy Disk and His Orchestra.

2.00 p.m .- Close Down. 5.00 p.m.-II.II.C. Trameription Service: "Much Hinding to the Masch". 6.80 p.m .- Songe by Herbert Grob (Tenor) with Orchestra.

7.00 p.m.-London Relay: World and 7.15 p.m.-- Studio:

6.45 p.m.-Studio: Terry Lou at the

Linda Cater Calling R.M.S. "Black 8.15 p.m .- Studio: See Tee Soccer Com-

9.25 p.m .- Interlude.

8.30 p.m .- Light Orchestral Favourites. 0.00 p.m. -- London Relay: News.

9.10 p.m .- Weather Report. 9.11 p.m .- "Buturday Serenado" A Progenmme of continuous Music. 9.30 p.m .- H.H.C. Transcription Service: "Paul Temple and the Gregory Affair" by Francis Durbridge, Ep. 7.

"A Woman's Intuition". 10.00 p.m .- London Relay: Radio News ". Regl. 10.15' j.m .-- "Cabaret" and Dance Music.

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## AID TO CHINA SCHEME Five Hundred Millions Now Proposed

## State Department Programme

Washington, Feb. 5. Aid for China, totalling about \$500 million, is proposed in a State Department plan prepared for the National Advisory Council, the United States policy-making body in the field of finance, a Council spokesman confirmed today.

This estimate—which may be changed somewhat either by the National Advisory Council or by the Bureau of Budget before reaching Congress—is somewhat higher than the original tentative figures given to Congress by Mr. George Marshall, the Secretary of State, nearly three months ago.

No Guarantee

The programme may be sub-

Its apponents claim that the

China --- wheat, cotton, petro-

leam, rice, grains, tobacco and

flour - will make it more diffi-

cuit for the United States

to fulfil its obligations under the

European recovery programme.

record, there can be no guaran-

ment will make the best possi-

among its proponents who

be prejudiced against the Mar-

shall Plan unless the State De-

partment made efforts to "stop

Communism" in an equally eri-

The Senate Foreign Relations

later this month; as soon as they

Later, the State Department

A spokesman said Mr. Mar-

Food And Materials

It was understood that the

National Advisory Council and

already approved the pro-

gramme and its final presenta-

tion to Congress was, therefore,

probable within the next 10

**P6P** 

THIS FUEL

CUTTING

MAKES MY

BLOOD.

BOIL

H'M!-I THINK I'M

YOUNG TO ENJOY

THIS JOB, JANE

Hush—Hush

tical area of the world,

shall Plan.

rendered.

At that time, he spoke of a belp in stabilising the situation million programme to run | so that a leng-range plan might

be instituted later. The \$500 million project is ikely to run for about the same

American officials said this mitted to Congress within the programme was not comparable liext week or two, othe karopean recesery pro-

The assistance to be sent under it would be mainly of the relief type, notably ever the 15 months, but it was hoped that applies made available would



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# To Birla House

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people were affected by the shock of Mr. Gandhi's death concerned a Sadhu (a Hindu holy man) who committed suicide, a merchant who went mad and a man named Godse-the surname of the man held for trial on the charge of murdering the Mahatama -who changed his name to Gandhi.—Reuter.

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London, Feb. 5. An English magistrate here looked for it at Goswick the today told Miss Margrit Herlemann, 59-year-old Swiss tourthat he was "extremely sorry" she had been arrested, It is also argued that, on past imprisoned and charged with fathure to register a change of

Miss Herleman first appeared ble use of the assistance in court last Saturday when it was alleged she had been found The programme has been pre- sleeping in an empty office in pared at the insistence of the a big departmental store. Republicans in and out of Con. police witness asked for the gress-Senator Arthur Vanden, charge to be withdrawn as berg, Governor Thomas Dewey, was found Miss Herlemann had

two months.

Committee is expected to start been troubled in this matter" .-bearings of the new programme Reuter.

### have dispensed with the Mar-Chen Cheng placed a strict curtain of secrecy In Nanking over the China ald programme,

shall personally had ordered Nanking, Feb. 6. the enforcement of a "no comment" rule. He even refused Army Chief of Staff and director to discuss the National Advisory of the President's Headquarters in Council's spokesman's assertion the Northeast, returned to Nanmately \$500 million for China king last night by air from Mukthat the plan calls for approxi- den. He was accompanied by and declined to say when details General Chen Tung-kuo, the denight be formally made public, puty director.

General Chen was received by President Chiang Kai-shek shortly after his arrival. It is presum-Later it was learned that ed here that he may not go back, some \$470 million dollars would to the Manchurian post with be for food and raw materials. General Wei Li-huang now in The additional \$30 million to overall command of military \$40 million would be for ma- operations in the Northeast,chinery to re-equip Chinese fac- Reuter-AAP, ;

### ORVILLE WRIGHT WILL

Dayton, Ohio, Feb. 6 The will of Orville Wright directed that the famous plane in which he and his brother made The programme, as now their first flight in 1903 should drawn up, is a strictly civilian be left in South Kensington one and involves no military Museum, London.

### Fanny by streamer light!

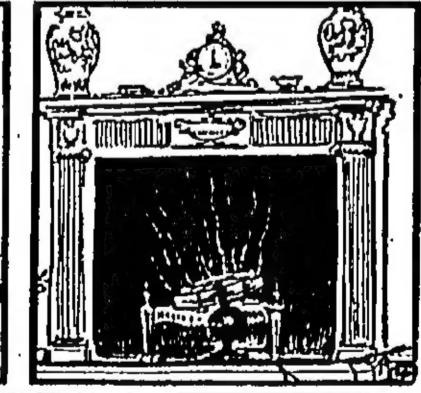


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observe it," he told Begbie.

Begble said that the "dis-

tant" signal was obscurred by

smoke and steam. When he

home signal, was off. He took

it for granted that it was safe

A sailor, Leading Stoker

Redden, an acquaintance of

son said; "I find it very dif-

ficult to dissociate the presence

footplate in a serious breach of

regulations from circumstances

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### Swiss "You kept hoping you would i see it and you did not," type of supplies to be sent to Apology

tee that the Nanking Govern, address, She was acquitted. Begbie's, had been given permission by him to travel on the footplate.

Of his presence, Lt.-Col. Wil-

of New York, Mr. John Foster not committed any offence in which the accident occurred." Dulles, and many others are against the Aliens Order, When she arrived from have intimated that they would France, she had permission from the immigration officer not to report to the police for

> The magistrate said to Miss Herlemann; "You can go away with a perfectly clean record and I can only express the SHOWING FOR 3 DAYS greatest regret that you have

## THE SCREEN'S MOST DARING DRAMA! ... NEVER BEFORE'A PICTURE LIKE IT!

--Reuter.

General Chen Cheng, ailing

# 10th Feb., 1948

expenditure, despite the inattorney, Wright's sistence by some - Republicans Frankhouser, said that as far that Gnneralissimo Chiang Kai- as he knew, Wright had never shek should be given direct as- formally indicated that he wished sistance in his war with the the plane to be brought back to Communists.—Reuter. the United States.—United Press

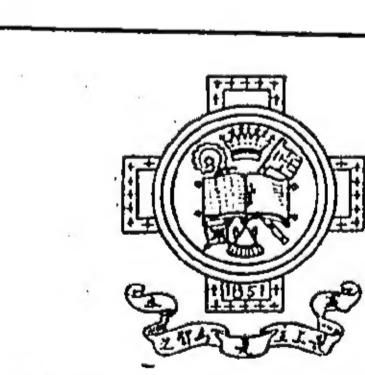
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The scheme which is now be-

lians, who are expected to pay

vio towards the cost of their

(From the files of the

"China Mail")

right the proprietors or members

"It is generally allowed that the

"Now, however, I find, on re-

ferring a simple request to that

effect to the sub-committee of the

ed over, the probability is that at

damp, moths, and white ants,

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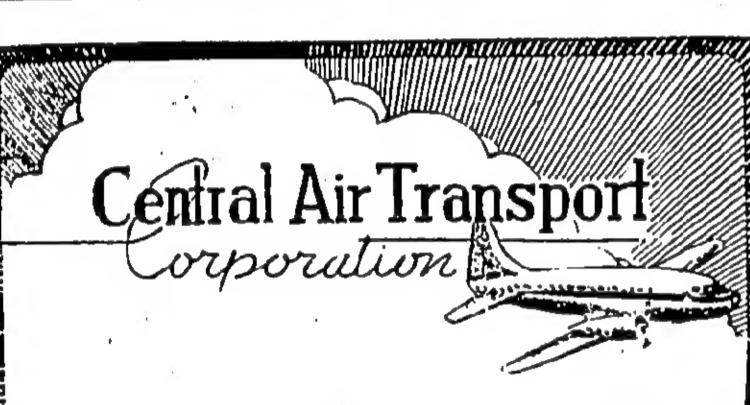
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### \*\*\*\*\*\*\* BRITAIN TAKES HER BEARINGS

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From the end of the war down to December 15 last the shaping of the post-war world was controlled-at least in theory-by a four-Power collaboration. With the final break-up of the Foreign Alinisters' Conference on December 15, that system came virtually to an end. Traces of it still linger; such as the four-Power controls in Berlin and Vienna. But the Power which wrecked shortage of accommodation the main machinery-Russia - them when they arrive. has not disguised her desire to end these minor machineries also, ing introduced provides for free In the meantime the four Powers passages for ex-servicemen and are not collaborating; and the women of the U.K. Forces and question which any British For- for assisted passages to civieign Secretary must answer is: How does he propose to fill up the resulting vacuum?

Nobody can accuse Mr. Bevin of trying to answer it hastily. H waited more than five weeks before surveying the whole problem in a public utterance. What he eventually did say last week to the House of Commons had evidently passed a full scrutiny by the Cabinet. Endorsed in its main outlines by Mr. Eden and Mr. Churchill on behalf of the Opposition, its policy must be regarded as in every sense nationof the Club House hold possession

Mr. Bevin's first task was to f the Morrison Library, to the show why collaboration had exclusion of the public. ceased, and there he had no difficulty in fixing the blame where founder of this valuable Library it belongs. Mr. Gallacher, the intended that it should be open to Communist, said later in the de- the public, and it was so formerly bate that "the rift between this and so long as the Morrison Socountry and the Soviet Union began with Mr. Churchill's speech at Fulton;" but that is visiting Hong Kong, that I quite untrue. The fact is that ever refused admittance to it, and that since the war ended the Soviet the inhabitants generally are now schooltenchers and so on. mon has pursued a policy of im- deprived not only of the liberty perialist aggression, quasi-annex- of receiving books as formerly ing Poland, Rumania, Bulgaria, but even of consulting them on Yugoslavia, Albania and Hun- the premises. 1 understand exgary through puppet Govern- cepti as to this rule may be made ments, organising actual war in behalf of those who prefer a against Greece and a "war of Committee, nerves" against Turkey, and "But I wish to be informed, Mr. be collaborators. Great Britain that the inhabitants of Victoria the third largest exporter of At five he may be enrolled at a out at the old woman. thwart, insult, attack and injure and by what authority the Trus- fortunate effects of having all free dental service is provided formal war.

Mr. Bevin dealt with all this at some length but cautiously. the Soviet to change over from collection of Books deposited in a no iron or steel production, no 1/6d or \$1.20c, in the pound on moved on down the Bund. He ed of a proposition made to them still nourishes, for instance, a by the Members of the Hongkong aint hope that Russian consent Club ... The complaint, by his may be obtained for German cur- own showing, is a very minor rency reform. But it was satis- one, when he admits he can have factory that in reply to Mr. full access to the Library by pre-Eden he indicated the Government's intention to go forward club. at last in any event with that fundamental and much overdue placed in the Club, where they part of any same programme for are cared for and jealously watch-Germany. Yet to expose Russia as the the closing of the Merrison So-

wrecker of peace and recovery, ciety School they would have been consigned to the ravages of juncture, is not in itself a posi- either in the vacant premises of beat a trick or two. First, the intive policy. Now that four- the School or in the godowns of formation conveyed by your double Power collaboration fails us, some Merchant induced to give may cause the declarer to play the what else can we take hold of? them warehouse room. Mr. Revin's answer to the question was perhaps the most distinctive feature of his speech-the or a Zellverein or any other of mendous odds you are giving. If you one which revealed him as not those ambitious proposals which you only a few extra points, whereas only a patient negotiator but a too often stand in the way of out if you fail to, the double presents the constructive statesman. His realising more modest but more declarer with many more. answer was Europe. The six- practicable advances. We shall teen nations, who joined at Paris do well to begin as in answering Mr. Marshall's the Foreign Secretary sugfruitfully be gested, by making good the S. K Q 10 brought into much closer co- ground that we already stand on 7 4 3 operation. Divided they have -that of co-operation under the H. 9 2 fallen; united they can stand Marshall Plan. Nothing is of D. J 10 7 again. Their populations, when more immediate importance than C. 10 combined, outnumber either that the Plan should not fail; Russia or the United States; and and what between Russia strainif it be objected that they lack ing every nerve to wreck it, in area or raw materials, the rejoin- order to crush us, and certain of der is that, save for Egypt and the more backward American nerable). Abyssinia, nearly the whole of the politicians trying to cramp it: giant continent of Africa is under scope, it is obvious that the 4 H their flags. Add their possessions greater our reliance on self-hely Pass in South-East Asia, and add the and mutual-aid within the con leading part that they have play- munity of European nations, the ed in developing the Arab coun- better our prospect will be. That tries, and it will be seen that does not mean spurning. Ameri: tive in appearance, but not so much their resources are immense, if ca's generosity, but heightening so actually with a partner who could

from talking about a Federation berg would like us to do. . . . on with a spade sacrifice, so that South play to make his 6-Spades?

By Margaret Bradbury Do you want to go to New passage. It is a condition of The standard of living it The most highly nationalised plicants must undertake to re- most countries, and this is borne country in the British Empire main in employment in certain out by the fact that people live -New Zealand has now con- specified occupations for two longer in that country than any. cluded negotiations with the years after their arrival in the where else in the world. As is United Kingdom providing for country. In a frank and generally known, New Zealand an assisted immigration scheme factual pamphlet prepared by is a great promoter of Labour which will open the doors of the Immigration Department of legislation. Anyone working in

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KIWIS

No Obstacles In conjunction with other Revealing that while the pre-British Dominions who are now sent scheme of free and assisted passages applies only to young, quoins, brought to an abrupt single people in certain occupaentegories, war, New Zealand is expanding states that: "It should her manufacturing industries clearly understood that obatacles are placed in the way initiative and the ability to of men and women from Britain ing the Dominions in this respeet, it shortage of shipping to transport new settlers, and

> tion when they arrive," now made available to people in example of how far these wages the Empire, it will be of in - which are the lowest received terest to know something about by any worker-will go, to enthe New Zealand of to-day and sure a good standard of living. by the people in its towns and i given. tarmlands.

has in every year as much sun- men's frocks range from entire length of the country, not exorbitant, More than half of New Zea-

penters, engineers, storekeepers, mothers. Lesson Of 1930's

possible short of tees of this-a public property- one's economic eggs in one and also free milk daily and have handed it over to a private basket, and it became clear that apples in season.

place of safety, when they accept- industrialisation on the British

the scheme, however, that ap- New Zealand is higher than in the country to thousands of the New Zealand Government, the country more than 40 hours young men and women who details concerning Empire im- a week is paid at overtime, rates and all workers must receive by law at least two weeks annual holiday on full pay. Wages and hours of work are fixed in industries and trades and membership of trade unions is compulsory wherever workers are organised into unions, as nearly

Minimum Wages

By an Act passed in 1945 and other British countries who minimum adult wages covering are prepared to find their own all types of employment were way out to New Zealand by fixed on the following weekly paying their own passages, and basis; Majes receive not less finding their own accommoda- than 25.158.-d per week while women receive not less than In view of these possibilities #3.3.-d per week. As an the standard of living enjoyed the following price rates are

Butter costs 1/6d or \$1.20. New Zealand is a little larger, per pound; cheese 1/- or 80 large islands and a number of | cents; and bread 534d or 40 smaller ones. A land of moun- cents, per two pound loaf. toins, rivers, lakes, forests and Tailored suits cost from sixteen rich pastureland. New Zealand guineas upwards or \$250, woshine as Spain. Its high mount shillings or \$52. Men's shoes tain ranges-the highest peak, cost from thirty to forly five Mount Cook, reaches up to shillings, of \$28 to \$56. House 12,349 feet-run almost the rents charged by landlords are

Apart from New Zealand's in the four main centres. Apart cases of sickness, free medical from the 96,000 Maoris. New and hospital care are provided, Zealanders are nearly all of and at private hospitals the British ancestry, most of their basic fee (nine shillings or \$7. grandparents and great-grand- 50c.) is deducted from the parents were English, Scotch, patient's bill and paid by the Irish or Welsh and their occu- | State. Free medical attention pations are those of the people and hospital care or home nursof most countries, farmers, carding are provided for expectant

Education Openings ing it into the bosom of her never a word. The story of Until recent years, New Zea- free from kindergarten to uni. to bulge in peculiar distortion printed sheet weighted down land's efforts were concentrated versity. Attendance at school with the filched padding. on building up her exports of is compulsory between the ages. The two guards squatting on paid for, and the stations asfarm produce, with the result of seven and 15. At three, a a bale at the head of the truck signed by the heads of the cr. that it become the largest ex- child may enter a free kinder- decided it had gone far enough. ganization to which they belong porter of cheese, mutton and garten which is controlled by a One picked up a whip—a four, and with which they share lamb in the world, one of the Free Kindergarten Association, foot long knotted rope attached their collections. treating her ex-Allies and would. Editor, how it has come to pass chief exporters of butter, and subsidised by the Government. to a yard-long staff. He lashed 45 enemies whom have allewed themselves to be wool. The depression of the State primary school all of her business to deprived of such a valuable right, 1930's however, showed the un- which are co-educational. A

Continued at foot of next Column)

## BRIDGE

By SHEPARD BARCLAY "THE AUTHORITY ON AUTHORITIES"

### EITHER REASON **ENOUGH**

There are two extremely good reasons for being wary about doubling a slam contract which you expect to practs with which you hope to down him. But the equally important second reason is found in the tre-

S. 8 2 H, K 7 6 D. K 8 6 5 4 C. J 4 2 W E H. 10 4 3 D. Q 9 C. K Q 3 6. None H. A Q J 8 5 D. A 3. C. A 9 8 7 6 5

South. North-South vul-Pass

very sound, his second very conservaonly they can be co-ordinated. Its usefulness; and it is the very make that vulnerable "reverse" bid In developing this argument thing that Mr. Truman and Mr of hearts at the four level; it was (De Mr. Bevin prudently sheroined Markell and Senetar Vendently in the hope that the op- able.) Mr. Bevin prudently abstained Marshall and Senator Vanden- ponents would be lured into going After the club 10 lead, how can

then a 5-Heart bid by him might sound wenk and get doubled. When the opponents then tried to sacrifice at 5-Spades, he showed his tit South's other suit with a slam bid in the lower ranking clubs. time East swallowed the buit

Use of such a double as a leaddirector is deadly in the hands fine players, when the doubler hand whose value depends on the lead. But this pair did not employ a double in that manner, so West led the diamond J.

South won with the dummy's diamond K and immediately led the club J. No matter what East did now, he was thwarted. He played low and the I went through, dropping the 10. The A felled the Q, the hearts were run until East used the club K for his only trick.

Without East's double, South's best first round of clubs, so he could immediately lead the suit again, ns a result he would have been set.

### Tomorrow's Problem

8. K Q J 9 4 H. K 10 4 3 C. K 5 2 S. None Pass H. 8 7 6 2 N H. A Q Dbl D. K. J 10 W E 9 5
passes 5 1 S 17. Q 8 7 2
c was C. 10 C. J 9 8 7 .8. 10 \$ 7 5 2 IH. None D. A 9 4

Dealer: West. North-South vulner-

C. A Q 6 4 3

CARNIVAL



"Mind if I borrow your cuspidor a minute, guv'nor? The redestrians are as thick as fleas today!"

## SEGMENT OF than Britain, and covers a total cents; sugar 4d or 25 cents, area of about 104,000 square ment from 5d (35 cents) to miles. It is made up of two 1/3d (\$1); potatoes 3d or 20

By A.M. GOUL

alongside the cotton truck at a watching and waiting. half-trot as it pulled slowly Let a sack of corn burst as it away from the docks and head. Is tossed on to a truck; let a few ed into the Bund away from dried peas roll to the ground;

thoroughfare, the old woman will dash in with pans and land's 1,700,000 people live in Social Security legislation which began tearing and jerking at brooms and sweep it up if the towns and more than a third provides an assured income in broken places in the jute wrap- there's enough to push into a ping of the bales, and stuffed pan. If only a few grains, they her pockets with cotton as she pick up with their fingers, popjogged along with the truck as ping the food into their mouths it moved slowly through the or their pockets. crawling. jangling traffic.

wide smile split her wrinkled sometimes a man, sometimes a face as she kept pace with the weman, kneeling from dawn to truck. When her pockets filled dark on the pavement, head with the fleece, she began stuff- bowed, hands clasped, uttering Education in New Zealand is faded jacket. She soon began their misfortune is told on a

She laughed in his face, dod-

Derisive Gesture

ged the blow, grabbed another child, bundled head to foot in . . If New Zealand was to support There are two forms of in- handful in a derisive gesture, dirty blankets, who lies face A VISITOR." a bigger population, it could be come taxation in the country, and waddled over to the curb, down, at full length, beside the done only on the basis of ex. A flat rate charge on all No sooner had she moved off printed sheet, never moving. never exaggerating and often It would appear to us that the panding industry. Since that salaries, wages and other in than from the other side of the They are trained from babyunderstating. He is still very Trustees of the Morrison Society time the manufacturing indust come tax. Social Security tax street darted two young girls hood. They will become proanxious, as he always has been, School were only actuated by the tries have grown rapidly but is payable by everyone over 16 who began tearing at the bales fessional beggars when they to leave it as easy as possible for desire of having this valuable there is little heavy industry, years of age and is a charge of from their side as the truck grow up.

police paid no attention. Their living in squater, in cold, unjob was to direct traffic not to guard moving cotton. And as scon as the two younger "cotton pickers" were driven off by the whip-wielding guards, others would move.

Shanghai's waterfront. been going on a long time, and will go on for a long time to Their life is a daily routine of

handful of ectton now and then. The women of the waterfront and their children long ago be- but there are hundreds of came experts in reaching and thousands more just like them. sulvaging whatever was available to give them an extra bite day. to eat, or something they could trade or sell for food. Not a grain of corn, a single dried pen, or a soybean goes to waste.

### Waiting And Watching

or other dried cereals or vegetables are trundled off the steamers along the Bund, or play would have been the A on the packed piggy-back style by coolies off the sampans lining the banks of Soochow Creek between Garden Bridge and Szechuan road, women and children squat der. Treasurer of St. Paul's

> gross income from all sources. Once described as the "cor-Income tax is a separate tax nerstone of St. Paul's", the payable at graduated rates on canon raised #400,000 for its the balance of income remain- preservation during his years ing after deductions for depend of office.

The old woman hobbled on the curb across the street

let a sack of rice spin its con-As the truck turned into the tents. Women and children

Another segment of the scene She was having fun. A is the professional beggar, The sheets are with stones.

### Trained Babies

Almost universally, the professional beggars seek to add . pathos to their story by a small

Or there will be a group of The white-helmeted traffic refugees from the war areas, heated, unfurnished upper floors of brick and concrete buildings. Men, women, children. Sometimes as many as 200 of them plled together with their blankets, their few clothes, their It was not a new thing for pots and pans and braziers, huddled on their palates stretched out on the concrete floor. waiting for their meals to be It's not merely getting a sent around by the city's Social Welfare Department.

The city does the best it can, They pour into the city every

Death, to the masses, is little tragedy. A recent week-end of below-freezing weather left more than 200 dead, most of them children.

The story failed to rate pageone display in the city's news-

It was not news to Shanghai. As the bags of rice, or corn, Just another page in its history.

## DEAD

London, Feb. 4. Canon Sidney Arthur Alexan. Cathedral, London, since 1909, dled today at the age of 82.

When Lord Langland, then The basic rate commences at Archbishop of Canterbury, un-2/6d or \$2 in the pound. No veiled a portrait of Canon tax is paid on the first £200 Alexander in recognition of his of income. On an income of work, he called him the man \$500 per year, subject to the "who has done more than any usual life insurance exemptions other to see that Wren's great and Bocial Security tax, the tax masterpiece was to be preserved



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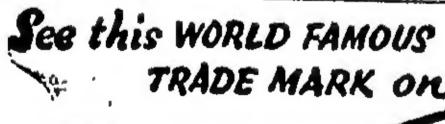
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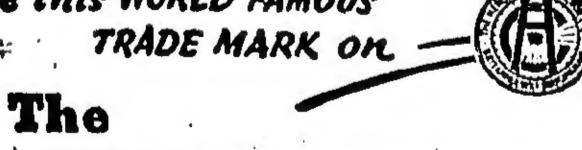
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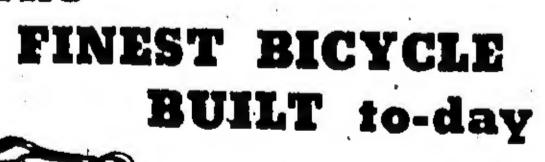
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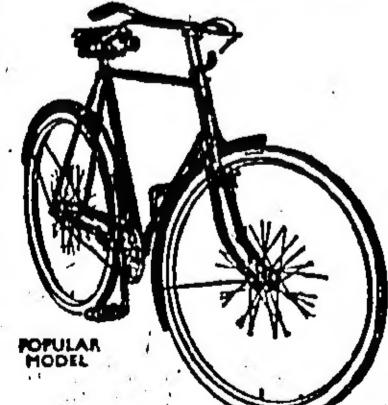
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## HONG KONG AND JAPAN Colony May Send An Adviser To Peace Talks

## Question Raised In Parliament

London, Feb. 5. The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, told the House of Commons today that, wherever it was desirable and feasible, the colonial governments directly concerned with the Japanese peace settlement would be invited to attach advisers to the British delegations in future talks.

Mr. William Teeling, who recently returned from a visit to the Far East, had asked the Prime Minister why the Hong Kong Government was not represented at the Canberra talks on a peace treaty with Japan,

He also wanted to know whether, "as the Foreign Office is German not equipped to put Hong colony would be more adequately represented at any fur-Marshal's ther peace talks, Mr. Attlee replied:

purpose of these talks was an informal exchange of views on broad lines and without commitment between the Commonwealth Ministers.

"The interests of Hong Kong. as of other Far Eastern colonial death. territories, were represented by the United Kingdom delegation.

### Advisers

"The United Kingdom delegatop floor of the Nuremberg tion, at meetings of this kind. do not represent any single dewhich he was one, was about to partment of the British Government, and it is their normal res-He was being led, with the sponsibility to represent the inother defendants, up the prison terests of the calonial empire stairs on the way to the court equally with those of the Unit. when he suddenly broke away, ed Kingdom.

climbed over a high barbed wire "In any further conferences barrier, and hurled himself concerned with the Japanese peace settlement, we shall na-He died later in a United turally continue to discharge this responsibility, but, wherever His suicide was the ninth suc- it is desirable and feasible to cessful death attempt in the do so, we shall be glad to inprison behind the Palace of vite the colonial Governments Justice since the start of the directly concerned to attach adtrial against Hermann Goering | visers to the United Kingdom and his co-defendants, -- Reuter, delegation." -- Reuter,

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## Persia Rejects Soviet Menace Note

Teheran, Feb. 5. Persia has not only rejected a Soviet note on the alleged activities of the United States military mission here, but counter-accused the Russians of protecting frontier "marauders," it was disclosed tonight when the official text of the Persian reply was made known.

Rejecting the Soviet charges of American interference in Persian Persia intended, when the war Socialists To ended, to buy arms from the Soviet Union, but the proposed Fight Alone

Suicide

down a shaft.

States military hospital.

Nuremberg, Feb. 5.

Colonet - General Johannes

Blaskowitz, former German

Field-Marshal who led an Army

Group against the British and

Canadian armies on the Wes-

tern Front at the end of the

war, committed suicide this

morning by leaping from the

Court prison as the last big

trial of 14 Nazi war chiefs, of

The Americans offered lower prices, so Persia decided to buy from the United States, Italian workers (led by the

The note accused the Soviet Government of having encouraged (liuseppe Saragat), at its first Azerbaijan's separatist movement annual Congress in Naples, de- deeply resent this corruption of against the Persian Government in cided today to fight the April a humanitarian purpose—this 1946 and of having given the rebel caders refuge.

The note ends with an appeal to the Soviet Union to cease to protect "adventurers and marauding elements", whose activities inside Russia are, it says, directed against Persia's security.-

## Canadian **Ambassador** To Visit H.K.

Nanking, Feb. 5. Justice T. C. Davis, Canadian Ambassador to China, and Mrs. Davis, will pay an official visit to Hong Kong, Canton and Taiwan during the next three weeks.

According to their tentative schedule, Ambassador and Mrs. Davis will leave Shanghai by plane for Hong Kong on Feb. 8 and will remain there until Feb. 22, except for a sidetrip to

On Feb. 17, Ambassador and Mrs. Davis will fly to Canton where they will stay three days. Returning to Hong Kong on Feb. 19, they will proceed to Taiwan on Feb. 22 and tour the laland for a week.

They will fly back to Hong Kong on March 1, and from there board a plane for Shangand Nanking .- Central

### **EXPRESS OFF**

Istanbul, Feb. 5 The Simplen Orient express has been suspended, it was reported today, because the Greek Government no longer guarantices the soft crossing of Eastern Thrace. owing to guerilla activity.-Reuter

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Extension OF BOAC

London, Feb. 5. Extension of the British Overseas Airways Corporation's operations from Hong Kong to Japan will, it is hoped, be made in the near future. Mr. George Lind-gren. Parliamentary Secre-tary to the Ministry of Civil Aviation, told a ques-tioner in the House of Com-

mons yesterday.

He added that ultimately, when adequate technical
facilities could be made
available, it was proposed that the service
should terminate at Tokyo.

Meanwhile, it was proposed to terminate the service at Iwakuni.—Reuter.

### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* colony would be more ade- Ballerina's Legacy

London, Feb. B. Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen, race: horse owner and yachtsman, left half the residue of his £1,000,000 fortune to Miss Marjorle Cunliffe-Owen, ballerina, who adopted his name four months before his

Sir Hugo's will was published today and shows that he left £1,353,744 on which duty was

After small beguests and one of £15,000 to the executor, he left half of the rest to Miss Cunliffe-

jewels worth £20,000.-Reuter. enterprise."-United Press.

## Nathan Tells A Story

NEW YORK, FEB. 6. AN EXHAUSTIVE AC-COUNT OF THE STRUGGLE BY BRITISH MERCHANTS TO "MAKE ANOTHER BRI-TISH INDIA OUT OF CHINA" WAS PUBLISHED TODAY BY KING'S CROWN PRESS, UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS.

The book is "Old China Hands and the Foreign Office" by Nathan A. Pelcovits. It recounts the futile efforts in the late 19th and early 20th centurles to convince the Foreign' Office that Britain should assume "unlimited commitments and liability" in China.

The author reports: half-century conflict between Old China Hands and the Forsign Office over the premises of Anglo-Chinese relations and, consequently, the extent to which British commitments should be pushed, ended without being resolved. But it ended with a definite realization that China would never be another British India; not even Owen and the rest on trust for an Egypt. With it also there faded the China dream, dear Sir Hugo's home was raided on to mercantile hearts, of a Monday by thieves who stole fabulous market for trade and

## Exploiting Hunger Of Children

Mr. Chester Bowles, American Chairman of the International Advisory Committee of the United Nations Appeal for Children, charged today that both the United States and Russia were exploiting children's hunger in the name of power politics.

In a statement to newsmen on sickle or the American eagle to his arrival from Poland, Mr. get it. Howies said Europe needs help in food but that the needy na- developed ' gradually through tions were unanimous in "their moves and counter-moves. abhorrence of the political must sometime soon be terminconditions in which so much of ated. In the meantime, at least their daily bread is wrapped.

"Food shipments by the Unit- the status of non-belligerents." ed States and by the Soviet -Reuter. Union are being used to sway as they are to ease the hunger pangs in their stomachs.

and other Eastern countries are M. Georges Cogniot, a member of being saved by Soviet grain-

from whom.

"East and West, the people Reuter. general elections alone and not exploitation of their children's hunger in the name of power

"They must have food at any cost, but they are bitter at having to swallow the hammer and

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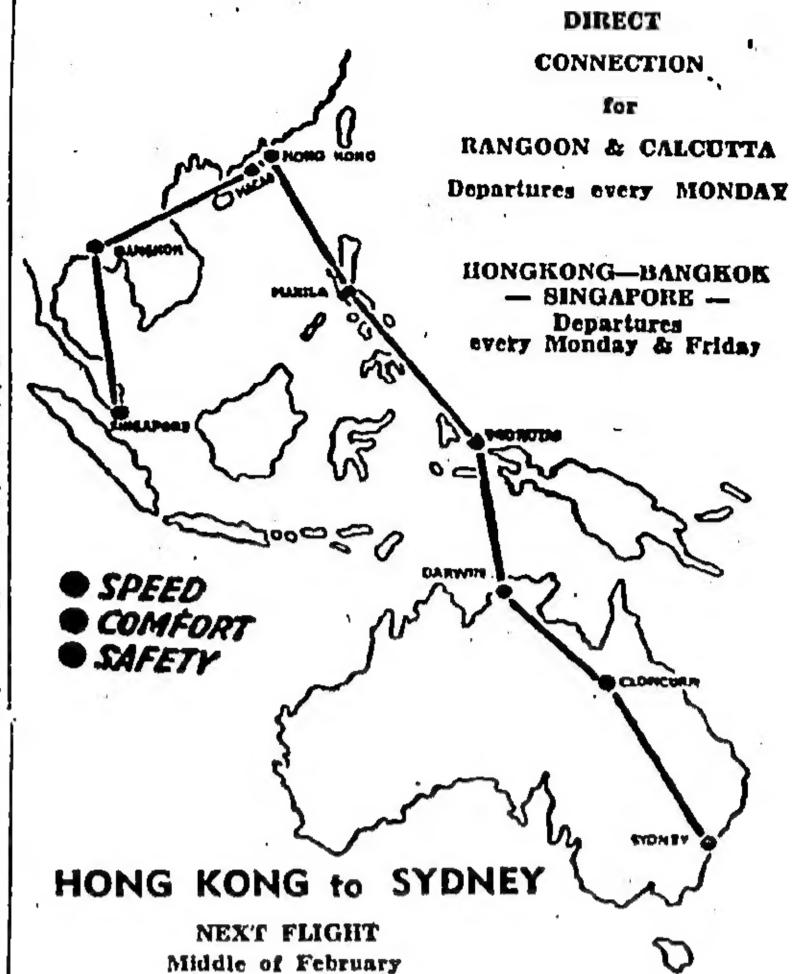
New York, Feb. 4.

"This shocking situation has we must gain for the children

### the minds of the people as much COMMUNIST PAPER FINED

Paris, Feb. 5. "France and Italy are being | M. Marcel Cachin, Director of today by American the official French Communist grain; Poland, Czecheslovakia Party newspaper, l'Humanite, and the editorial staff, were each fined 10,000 frames today for "The political trends of the publishing libellous articles in the moment decide who gets what paper against the extreme, right wing Republican Party of Liberty deputy, M. Frederic Dupont,-

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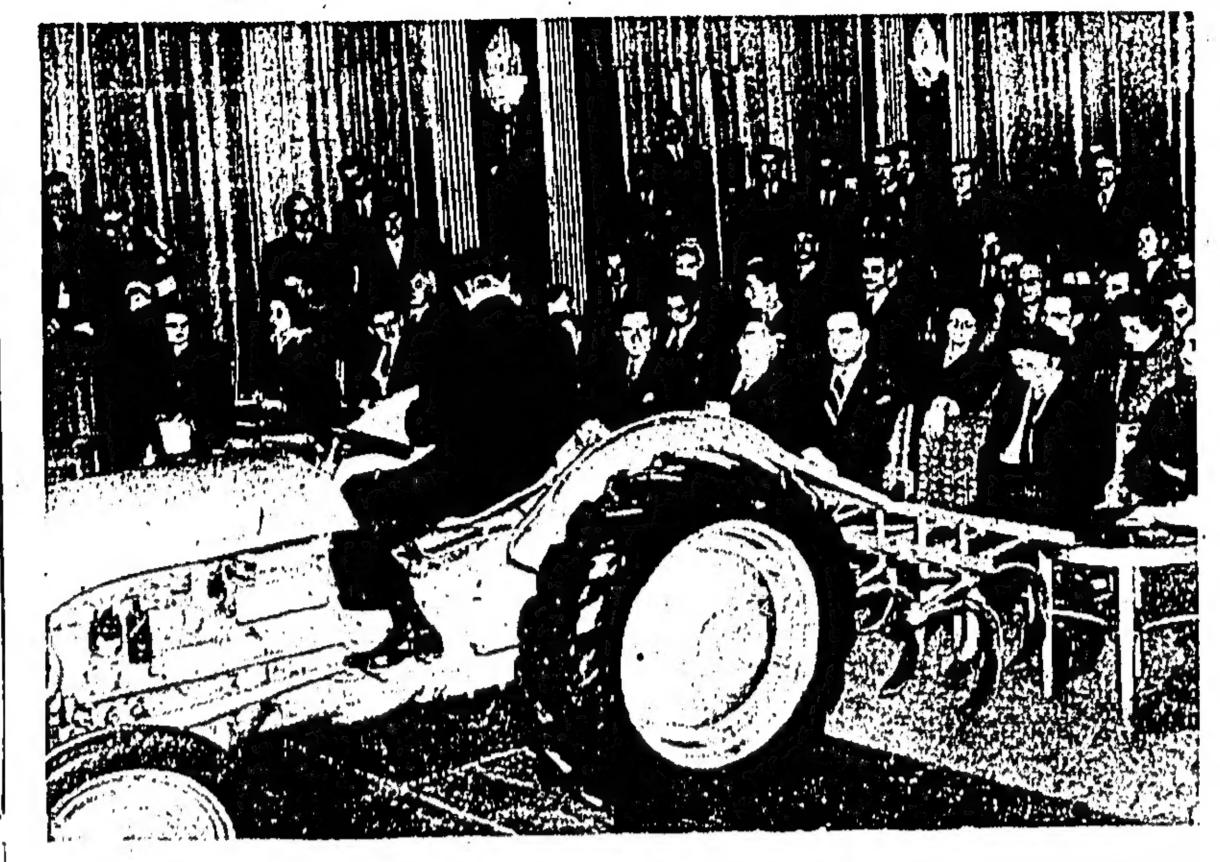
# DENY

Commenting on the statement made by Sir Reginald Rootes, the Ministry of Supply state that the steel to be allocated to the motor industry for both the first and second quarters of 1948 is larger than the allocation for the last quarter of 1947, when production has been running at a rate of 310,000 cars a year.

No forceast of allocation for the remainder of 1948 has been given, but there is no ground for assuming that when the allocations are made they will not show an inerense. For motor cars the export target is at the rate of 315,000 per year at the end of 1948, which, with an allowance for home requirements, involves production reaching approximately a rate of

It is quite wrong, the Ministry adds, to suggest that the requirements of the motor industry have in theen given due consideration.

## A Tractor Takes The Floor

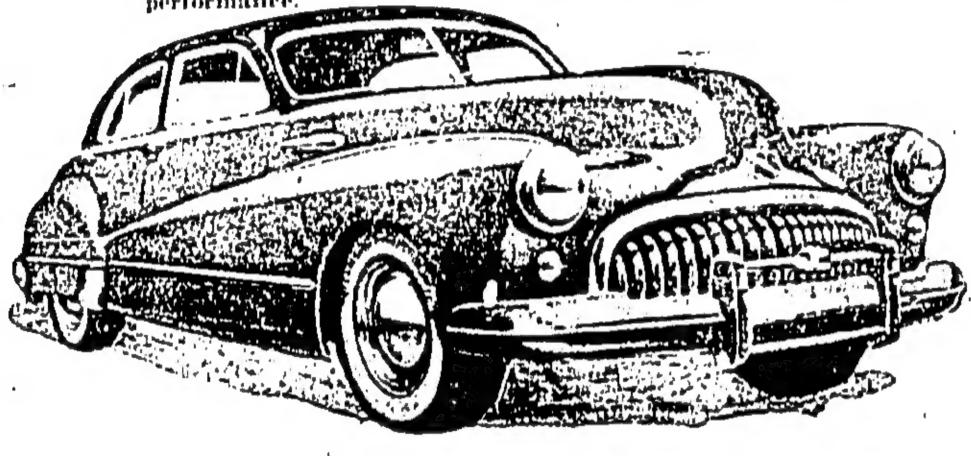


Spectators watched as Mr. Harry Ferguson, the inventor, drove one of his tractors around the floor of the ballroom of Claridges Hotel, London, January 22. Harry Ferguson Limited, of Conventry, recently received a £5,000,000 American order for his tractors.

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such a long history of continuous The combined body-cum-chassis Regarding the direction indica- evolution as the Hillman Minx, construction (which marked an tors on current cars, we have had The type first appeared at the important stage in that evolution an idea with which you may or Motor Show in October, 1931, and just prior to the beginning of the may not agree. The main trouble during the ensuing sixteen years war) is retained and so is the with "flippers"-even the so- it has remained in continuous pro- main outline of the body, but called self-cancelling sort—is that duction (apart from the war frontal styling has been brought they tend to go on sticking out period, although even then large into line with post-war ideas and when they should have flooped numbers were produced for Ser- new treatment of facia board and back, thus misleading the traffe, vices use), the design being controls introduced. On the purestendily medified and improved in ly mechanical side, the well-tried On one car the trafficator switch the light of new experience and 1,185 c.c. side-valve engine is con- IMPERIAL CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES LTD.

tinued with a few minor modificais mounted on an arm jutting out news needs. from the steering column in such | That this has been possible is a tiong and the general layout of a way that one can flip the switch tribute to sound design as well as springs and axles (again with with one's right forefinger without sound manufacturing policy. Only detail improvement) is also retaking the hand from the wheel. a model which wins, and retains, turned, but the transmission in-The switch itself is spring-loaded, wide public approval is a fit sub- cludes an entirely new gearbox with "Synchromatic" finger-tip so as to return to the 'neutral ject for such treatment,

Now the evolution of the Minx control just below the steering

### DON'T TRY TO STOP-STEER!

-in other words, we press the Taxed once with the poorness of button lightly before making a turn, and then, having made a his brakes on the early models, signal, we let the arm flep back, the late Eitere Bugatti (and who In this way there is no risk of it should know better than Great sticking up too long. Having Hector himself?) remarked drily been misled by non-cancelling that he made cars "to go, not to lirection indicators on other cars stop!" There is much in that reseveral times in the past week, mark. Vintagents as a class are we suggest that it might be a good not prone to hang around; but idea in future to make only posi- they are not ones to have accitive signal switches, i.e., ones dents, either. It is eyes, not which work only while a button brakes, that make for safe driving -or, as a friend remarked, in time of emergency: "Don't try and stop .... Steer!" And the results were most happy for all in-

## no one was involved.

volved, because as it turned out,

It was disclosed recently by Mr net sufficient. An appeal against Gaitskell, Minister of Fuel and this decision is being considered Power, that owing to shortage of by garage proprietors in the West tankers and storage, about 1,000,-Country and the advice of the 000 tons of oil had had to be Motor Agents' Association is being pumped back into the Anglo-Iranian wells in Persia.

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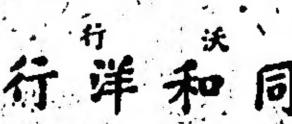
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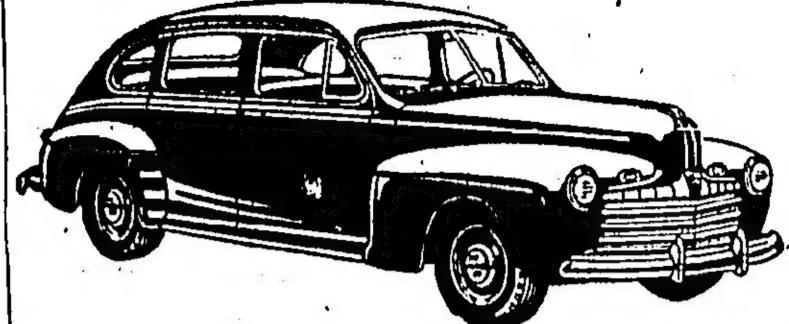
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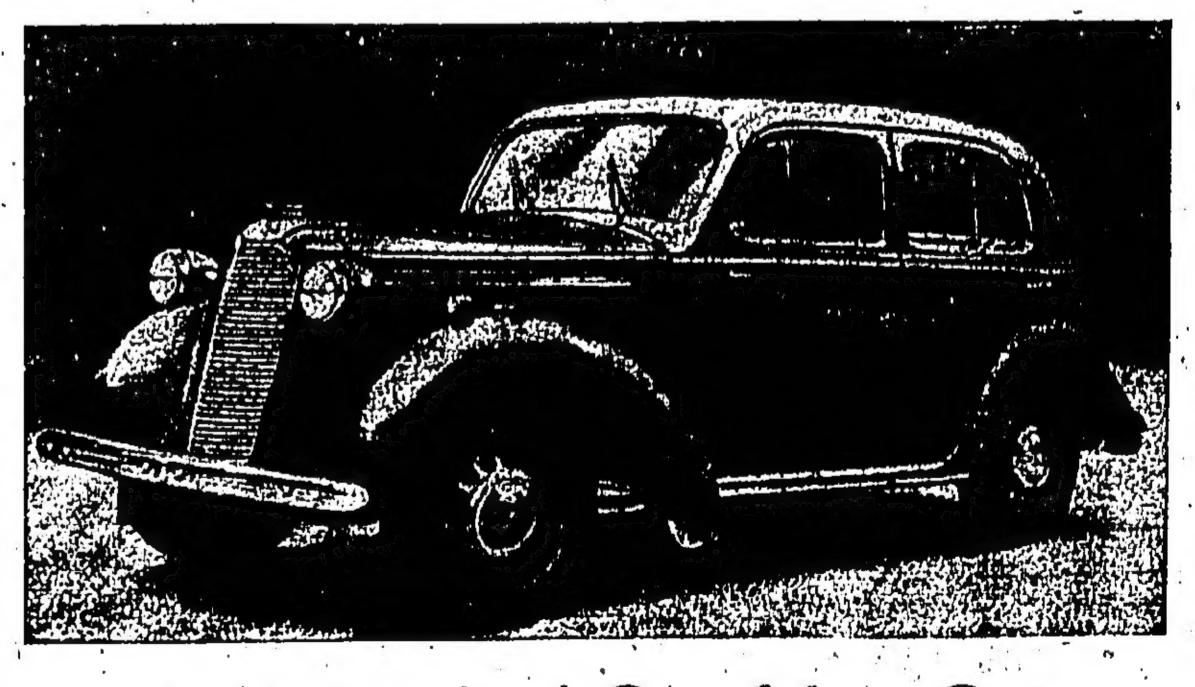
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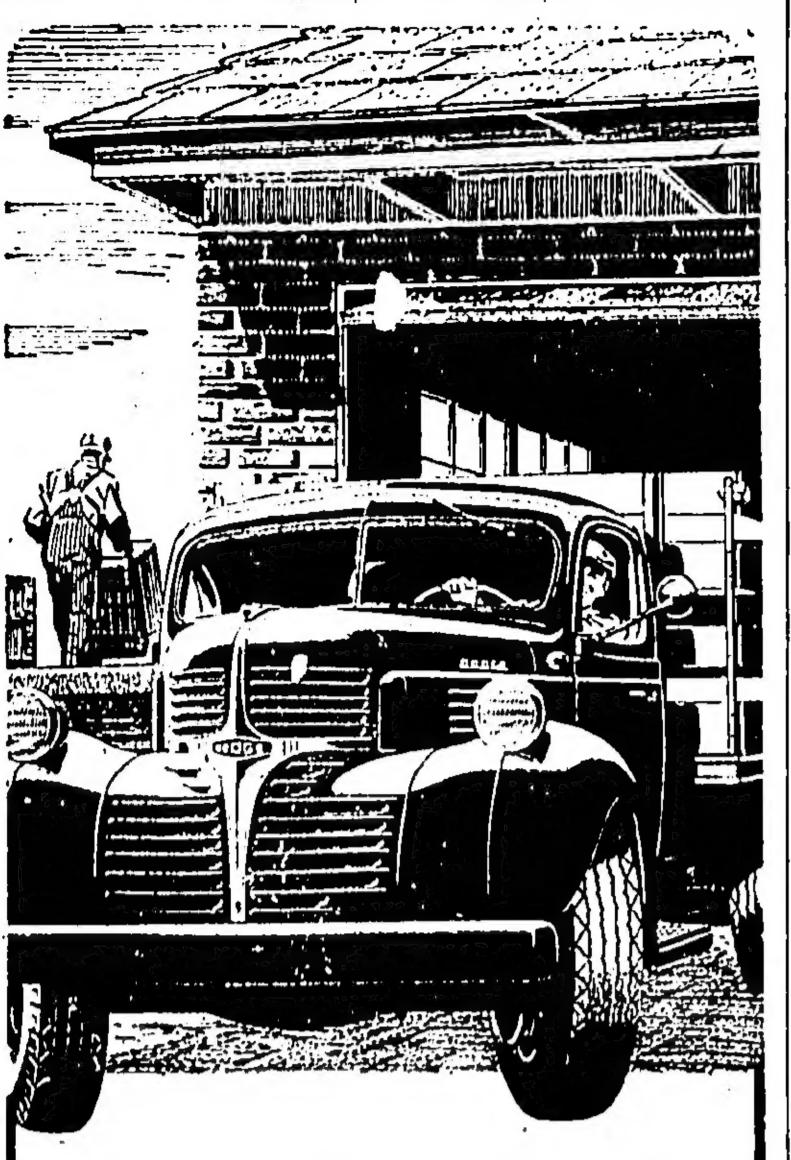
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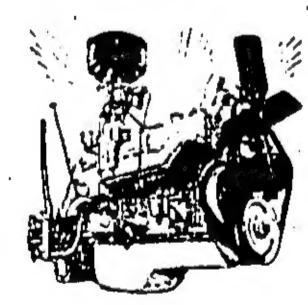
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# Bennett Defends Robert Brooke-Popham

"QUIET RETIRING AND EFFICIENT"

Canberra, Feb. 5. Lieutenant General Gordon Bennett, the Australian commander who escaped from Malaya after the Japanese victory in 1942, today defended Air Chief Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, whose despatches on the Malayan campaign were published a fortnight age.

German Methods

ditions with which the British

Pacifism

"Subsequent operations in the

Pacific islands showed little scope

for tanks in jungle country. The

Japanese tanks in Malaya were

well have placed at the front of

all the reasons for the defeat the

lack of preparedness of our Em-

pire for war and the development,

during the peace years, of a paci-

and destroyed aggressiveness, a

"This made our leaders passive

Chilled by another nosedive of major

commodities, the stock market reached

technical comeback reduced early losses

Transfers were 1,200,000 shares. In ad-

dition to tumbling commodities. Wall

Street still was pessimistic about taxes,

possible further anti-inflation moves by

Among losers were Allied Stores, Warner

Brothers, Dow Chemical, Banta Fe-

Union Pacific. Modest gainers included American Airlines, Consolidated, Edison

Dow Jones Averages: Stocks 51.18, 20

Closing stock quotations:-American Can 76%, American Smelting 50, American

can Telephone 150 %. American Tobacco

65%, American Copper 88, Aviation

Corp. 4%, Baldwin Locomotive 18%, Barnadall 3314, Bendix Aviation 26%, Bethlehem Steel 38, Boeing Aircraft 28,

Borden Co. 40%, Canadian Pacific 11 1/2. J. I. Case 39, Chrysler 5614, Columbs

41 %. Commercial Solvents o21 %. Corn

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Kodak 88%. Electric Light & Power

15%, General Electric 38%, General

Motors 54, Goodrich 50%, Goodyer 41

Harvester 84%, International Paper 47 4

International Tel & Tel 12%, Johns Man-

ville 85%, Kennecott Copper 44%, Montgomery Ward 50, National Distillers 1914.

National Lead \$1. New York Central

13%, Packard Motore 4%, Pan American

Airways 9, Pennsylvania RR 1714 Radio Corp. 8%, Real Bilk 1214, Republic Steel

2314. Reynolds Tobbacco 3914. Schonley

27%, Bears Roebuck \$2%, Shell Oil \$1%,

Secony Vacuum 15%. Southern Pacific

46 % Standard Brands 25 %. Standard Off

of Calif. 58%, Standard Oil of N.J. 76%, Studebaker 18%, Union Bag 29%, Union Carbide 94%, US Rubber 40%, US Steel

Youngstown Bheet & Tube 65%, Gen.

London, Feb. 5.

Foreign Minister, Mr.

Ernest Bevin, is considering a

letter from the British husbands of Russian wives urging him to

take active steps to secure parity

In the number of visas granted to

Soviet citizens' with the number

If Britain decides on the visa

parity it would mean that many

wives and children of Boviet

cilizers in Britain would have to

allowed to Britain.

leave,-Reuler,

Pub. Utilities 11% .-- Associated Press.

Homestako Mining 39%, International

industrials 169.18. 15 Ralls 49.86,

Ulities 32.17.

New York, Feb. 6.

"The Commander-in-Chief could

easily dealt with.

last attitude.

"A fighter squadron arrived to

Writing for the "Fortnightly Observer," General Bennett said: "Brooke-Popham was not a showman. On the contrary, he was quiet, retiring and efficient. War correspondents criticised him rather

severely, due, in my opinion, to the fact that

he made no attempt to impress them. "Like so many British lenders, reflect of warning the United States ne looked on war errespondents Fleet in Pearl Harbour. as superfluous. At press confer- "Air cover was refused Phillips" ences, he gave the impression that (Vice Admiral T. Phillips who he was tired and lacking in virile went down with the Prince of energy. In fact, he had an excel- Wales) small but powerful navallent grip of his task and worked squadron because the northern hard and efficiently, though not Malayan aerodromes were untenspectacularly." .

able or badly damaged. General Bennett said: "The staff of the Commander-in-Chief of the Far Eastern theatre was very small and unlike other Bri- see the Prince of Wales sinking. If the planes could reach the tish staffs in World War II which place where the ships were atwere extremely cumbersome. "He had three principal staff tacked after the attack, they officers, one from each of the ser- could have reached there in time vices. Apart from these, he had to save the ships."

### Inferior Planes

practically no staff.

"The plane shortage was serious, Empire had very little experience but more serious still was the and that the lack of tanks was a quality of our planes in compari- serious handleap. son with the efficient and superior Japanese planes."

Writing on the decision to can- the Germans in the carly Eurocel the "Operation Matador" plan pean fighting. to mive the 11th Indian Division "All these methods adopted by forward into Siam to deat with the Japanese in Malaya were, at any attempted Japanese landing, least in part, responsible for the General Bennett said this was failures in battle! he said. wise, as the "operation was doomed to failure.

"One division, in size and quality, could not possibly have prevented the landings". General Bennett said.

"On Dec. 6, 1941, our Air Force reported two Japanese, convoys. Until it was certain, without doubt that the fleet was destined for Malaya, Air Chlef Marshal Brooke-Popham was unable to at-

### "Weak"

"It was weak, however, to send fleet. The plane was probably destroyed. A flight, or at least two planes, may have enabled the news, so urgently needed, to reach the Commander-in-Chief."

General Bennett continued: "The need for news of the destination of the Japanese fleet was so Market important that the Commanderin-Chief would have been justified in sending out as powerful a reconnaissance unit with a covering new bottom, although late bidding for a unit as he could spare.

ranging to two or more points. "Had the enemy attacked this unit, a casus belli would have arisen at once, possibly some hours before the Japanese intended. Maybe it would have had the the Government, and foreign situations.

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## Missing Plane Miami Florida Feb. 5.

The United States Coast Guard here said today that the all night vigil for a renewal of SOS messages believed possibly to have come from survivors of the British South American Air. ways Tudor-4 "Star Tiger" which disappeared on a flight to Bermuda from the Azores, had proved fruitless.

The signals, reported to have been heard on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning numerous radio stations along the Atlantic const, were stated to have been tapped out in a makeshift code by someone who apparently did not know the morae code.

Radlo monitoring would continue today and tonight, the Const Guard said .- Reuter,

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# Biggest

New York, Feb. 5. Wall Street blamed "Washington" and the fear of further European currency devaluations for yesterday's price drop in the American stock and commodity markets—which was the biggest drop for over a year.

From coast to coast, people rushed to sell their Hellish Consols, 2445, 1945/47 70.43 holdings, wiping out about \$1,000 million in the market valuations of stocks.

Sales totalled over one million ( shures and stock quotations in the New York Exchanges dropped one dollar to an extreme of five dollars per share. Since Christmas, the index of

sensitive commedity prices in the United States has slumped from over 460 to less than 435. Nearly eight points of that decline occurred yesterday alone. Everybody supposed that the French free market would register a distrust of some cur rencies against the dollar, What it has, in fact, registered is a distrust of all currencies. including the dollar against geld.

### 100 Per Cent

Yesterday, the first day that gold trading in Paris became legal, the prices of gold coins there reached premiums of exactly 100 per cent over even the free market price of the dollar.

Wall Street has seen a slump coming for some time. In relation to the profits they are makalump.

United States Government eased off to \$345. bonds on Wall Street have been pegged only by continuous and very expensive official support which has been taking the huge sum of about \$500 million per week, and the President of the New York Federal Reserve Bank stated last week that if nominal at 37 cents, the support were withdrawn the bottom would fall out of the

market. The weakness of maize in vious day. Chicago yesterday might have been connected with the overnight disclosure by Senor Dairy Parms (N. Rus.) 671gb, 68s, 68/ Miguel Miranda, the Argentine Finance Minister, that the new Argentine maize crop is calculated at between eight and ten millien tons, the biggest for several years, and far bigger and Australian pounds at Reerg Loan, 5%, London Issue 21 than was expected. It will take \$12.51. a lot of selling at anything like present prices .- Reuter.

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**Anti-Smuggling** 

Canton, Feb. 5.

Mr. T. K. Ting, Deputy

Inspector-General of the

Chinese Martime Customs

Measures

Governor T. V. Soong and other provincial and Customs officials on strengthening anti-smuggling measures .- Central News. \*\*\*\*\*\*

Settlement of accounts for ing, prices of American shares the China New Year caused a Sermon bonn travery in 33-172 on Wall Street today fell below spurt in gold price yesterday to Japanese 60, 1924/59 ... 33-1/2 the worst ratios of the 1931 \$349.50 a toel. The market had Jon 8, Monehorian 10y., 1925 27 opened at \$340; and as settle-Since November, the prices of ment was finalised the rate H.K. & Shal Danking Corp ... 117-1/2

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left here yesterday for Union Corporation ...... 283 9 OH. SHARES: Royal Dutches ...... 23-1/4 Shell Transport & Trading Co 4-1.16 SHIPPING: P. & O. S.N. Co., ord, ..., 59,6 GILTEDGED: National War Bonds, 214:

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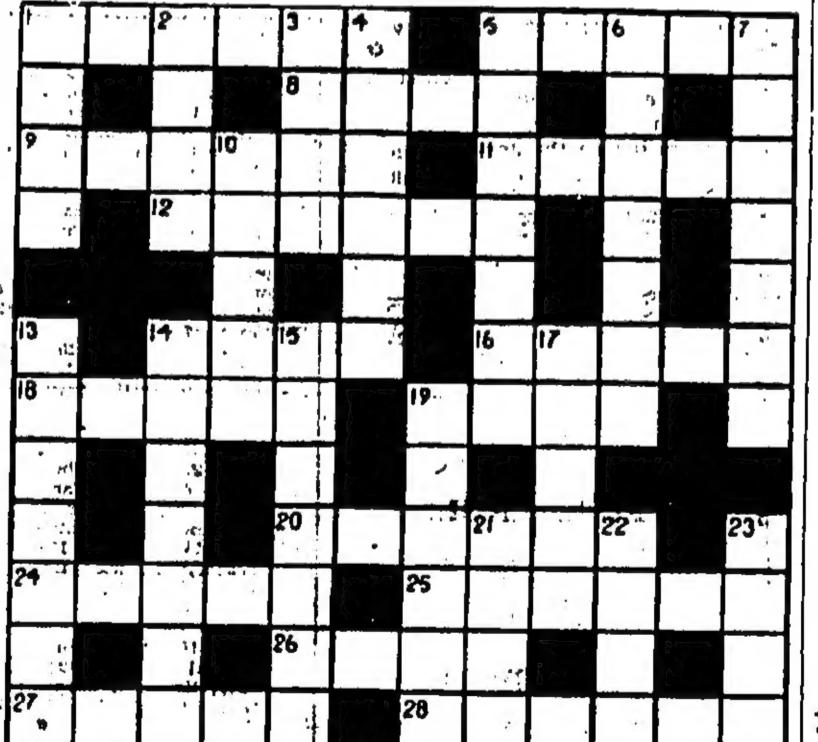
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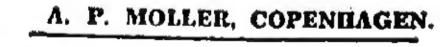
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Mediterranian Forts. York ..... Feb. 24. 28 Arendia Victory (A.P.L.) to San 10 Empire Witham (Jardine) to Salgon Vingues (Moller) to San Francisco. 30 Furman Victory (A.P.L.) to San

Francisco, English Prince (Jardine) from New York, 1 Pros. Grant (A.P.L.) to San Fran-Furman Victory (A.P.L.) to San Francisco. Marine Leopard (A.P.L.) to Ban

> [10 Ruya (J.C.P.L.) to S. America. 12 China Transport (Jardine) to Los Angeles and San Francisco. lö Trien Maersk (Jebsen) to U.S.A. 18 Capital Victory (Jardine) to San 18 Skidmore Victory (A.P.L.) to Sen Francisco. 20 Pacific Transport (Jardine) to Los

Francisco.

Angeles and San Francisco. 25 Philippine Transport (Jardine's) Los Angeles and Ban Francisco. 25 Rutland Victory (A.P.L.) to San Francisco. Francisco. ..... Apr. 15. Apr.

Marine Leopard (A.P.L.) from San Mid, Apr. Vito (Moller) to San Francisco. 22 Grete Maerak (Jebsen) to U.S.A. Mindoro (De La Rama) to Atlantic Coast, BRITISH & EUROPEAN PORTS

U Maincen (East Asiatle) to Europe. 9 Leopoldskerk (J.C.P.L.) to Europe. Mount Rogers (A.P.L.) from San Fran. In Priam (B. & S.) to Europe. Mid. Feb. Meerkerk (J.C.P.L.) to Europe 12 Nagara (Gliman) to U.K. 20 Glenartney (Jardine) to Europe. 20 City of Kharloum (Ellerman) co ..... Feb. 20.

13 Canton P. & O.) to United Kingdom cisco ..... Feb. 10. 28 Molenkerk (J.C.P.L.) to Europe. Pres. Taft (A.P.L.) from San Francisco. 29 Devonshire (B. & S.) to U.K. Feb. 23. Late Feb. Benvorlich (Ben Line) to U.K. Philippine Bear (A.P.L.) from San Fran- Mar-

cisco .... Feb. 12. Early Mar. Alpherat (J.C.P.L.) to Europe. Priam (B. & S.) from U.S., via Mantle, 2, Andre Lebon (M.M.) to Europe. 18 Trevaylor (P. 4 O.) to U.K. Rutland Victory (A.P.L.) from San 16 Tamara (Gilman) to U.K. Francisco ..... Mar, 40, 23 Dilwara (P. & O.) to U.K.

### CHINESE PORTS

Francisco. .... Mar 18. Peb. Stag Hound (U.S.L.) from U.S.A., Feb. 9. 7 Mau Sang (Jardine) to Shanshal. Steel Director (Gilman) from Pacific 8 Shengking (B. & S.) to Shanghai. Const ..... Feb. 15 'B Tak Sang (Jardine) to Shanghal. Stirlingville (Bank Line) from Pacific 0 Shengking (B. & S.) to Shanghal. Tegelberg (J.C.P.L.) from B America ... 13 Wing Sang (Jardine) to Shanghai

and Keelung 18 Kwel Yang (B. & B.) to Bwatow. 5 Hunan (B. & S.) to Shanghal. Aphul (B. A.S.) to Amoy and Swatow Castledore (P. & O.) to Shanghal. 21 Chak Bang (Jardine) to Tientalp.

7 Trevaylor (P. & O.) to Shanghai. 14 Tressillian (P. & O.) to Shanghal. JAPANESE PORTS

### 11 Meerkerk (J.C.P.L.) to Japan. 17 Sinklang (B. & S.) to Pusan.

8 Yochow (B. & S.) to Pusan. 2 Tak Bang (Jardine) to Kobe. 4 Dilwara (P. & O.) to Kure.

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## INDIAN PORTS

\* Carrick Bend (Everett) to Hombay. 10 . Empire . Witham (Jardine) to Calcutte. 30 Kut Mag (Jardine) to Coleptia. # Hisghound to Manila.

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## Poole via Bangkok Feb. 8, BOAC (Capt. Briggs)

Arrivals From:

**AIRCRAFT** 

Singapore via Bangkok Feb. 8, Cathay Pacific, 2 p.m.

Singapore. Feb. 9, BOAC (Capt. Burman)

Feb. 7, Philippine Airlines, 12 Feb. 10, Cathay Pacific, 12,30

Shanghai Daily, CNAC, 10.45 a.m. Feb. 8, H.K. Airways, 3 p.m Feb. 11, H.K. Airways, 3 p.m.

Canton H.K. Airways, thrice daily: 10,30 a.m., 1.30 p.m. & 5.30 p.m. San Francisco (Via Honolulu, Wake Manila)

Feb. 7. Pan-American, 12.45 Feb. 11, Pan-American, 12,45 San Francisco

Honolulu, Wake Guam, Okinawa, Shanghal) Feb. 12. Pan-American, 4.45 Feb. 19, Pan-American,

Salgon Feb. 7, Air France, 2 p.m.

### Departures To:

Poole via Bangkok Feb. 7, BOAC (Capt Corfield)

Oslo via Bangkok Singapore via Bangkuk Feb. 9, Cathay Pacific, 7 a.m. Shigapore

Feb. 9, BOAC (Capt. Horn) 7.30 a.m. Manila Feb. 7, Philippine Airlines,

Feb. 9. Cathay Pacific, 2.30 Feb. 11, Cathay Pacific, 3 p.m. Shanghat Dally, CNAC, 11.30 a.m.

Feb. 7, H.K. Airways, 10 a.m. Feb. 10, H.K. Airways, 10 a.m. Canton H.K. Airways, thrice daily:

8.30 a.m., 11.30 n.m. & 3.30 p.m. j San Francisco (Via Honofulu, Guam, Wake & Manila) Feb. 9, Pan-American, 8 a.m. Feb. 12, Pan-American, 8 a.m. San Francisco

(Via Shanghai, Okinawa, Guam, Wake & Honolulu) Feb. 13, Pan-American, Salgon Feb. 8, Air France, 7.30 a.m.

### INTELLIGENCE SHIPPING

(Cuntinued from Col. 4) SOUTH-EAST PORTS UNDO-CHINA, SIAM, MALATA, RAST INDIES

7 Foothow (B. &. S.) to Singapore and 27 Marine Snapper (A.P.L.), Now 9 Newchwang (B. & S.) to Bangkok. York and Havana via Singapore, S Yochow (B. & S.) to Indo-China, Colombo, Cochin, Bombay, Bues and 9 Coustal Champion (Everett) to Manile 9 Carrick Bend (Everett) to Singapore. and Straits.

12 Helprich Jessen (J.C.P.L.) to Singa-13 Kwei Yang (B. & S.) to Salgon and Bangkok. 15 Molenkerk (J.C.P.L.) to Java Ports. 15 Pakhol (B. & S.) to Singapore and 16 Produce (Jebshun) to Bangkok.

### SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS 14 Tegelberg (J.C.P.L.) to South African

18 Anhul (B. & S.) to Singapore and

25 American Merchant (A.P.L.) New York. Mar.

10 Ruys (J.C.P.L.) to S. African ports. CANADIAN PORTS 20 Lake Pennash (Jardine's) to Van-

### AUSTRALIAN & SOUTHERN PORTS

(PHILIPPINES & NEW GUINEA) 8 Trein Maersk (Jebsen) to Manile. 10 Kafirisian (Jardine) to Australia

Late Mar. Lake Winnipes to Vancouver.

12 Leisc Marrak (Jebsen) to Manila. 2 Starbound (U.S.L.) to Manila. 18 Nellore (P. & O.) to Australia, 22 Yunnan (II, & S.) to Sydney and Melbourne.

25 American Merchant (APL) to Manile 20 Shansi (B. & S.) to Australia,

### COST OF LIVING Ottawa, Feb. 5

Canada's cost of living index jumped another-2.3 points during feeted. December to 148.3-a rise of more than 21 points in 12 months, the Statistics Bureau announced. In the index 110 equals living costs during 1935-39,-Associated Press.

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There will be no delivery or collection from pillar boxes. On Wednesday, Feb. 11, the General Feb. 7, BOAC (Capt, Field) 4 | Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office will open from 8 a.m. to Noon. The other Branch Post Offices will open from 8 s.m. to 10 s.m.

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Airmail for Salgon and Paris, (Reg.) 11.36 a.m., '(Ord.) Noon. Airmail for Shanghal, Nanking, Hankow, Tsington and Pelping, (Reg.) 3 p.m. (Ord.) 3.30 p.m. Airmail for Swatow; Airmail for Taican and Amoy; Airmail for Kunming and Calcutta, (Reg.) 3 p.m., (Ord.) 3,30 p.m.

Clesing Times By Sea and Train Canton, 7 a.m. Marno, Talnahan and Shekki, S a.m. Shanghal, 10 a.m. U.S.A., Canada, Central and South

America via San Francisco (No Parcela for Canada), (Par. and Reg.) 9,39 a.m. (Ord.) 10 n.m. Swatow and Amor, 1 p.m. Canton, 2 p.m.

Salgon, Egypt and Marsellles, it p.m. Straits, 4 p.m. Macho, Tsineban and Shekki, 4 p.m. Kongmont, 4 p.m. Canton, & p.m.

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Closing Times By Hea and Train Macao, Tsinshan and Shekki, 8 s.m. Macao, Teinslan and Shekki, 10 a.m. Canton, 10 a.m. Shenghel, P. n.m.

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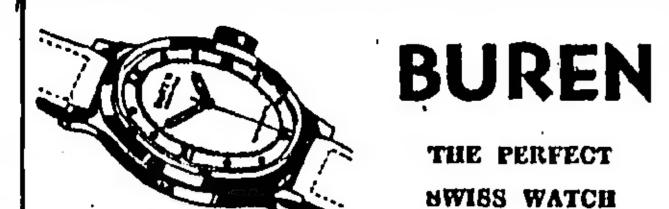
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## EXTRA FIRST Nine Races On Programme

The 1948 Annual Race Meeting having been . brought to a successful conclusion, interest in racing under the auspices of the Hong Kong Jockey Club will be confined to the Extra Race Meetings, the first of which will be staged at the Valley this afternoon.

There are also events on the quite fast and should not be programme, the majority special- overlooked, as an foutsider it may ly reserved for ponies that have prove dangerous, net won more than \$1,000 during Third Race

Gin Drinkers Bay Stakes .--

In this event, for 1948 Austra-

han Subscription Ponics of the

Second Batch with Winners of

the recent Annual Meeting. The First Suddling Bell will (First Section) :- One Mile, be rung at -1.30 p.m. with the first race starting at 200 p.m.

Nearly all, if not actually all, \$1,000 or more in stakes barred. our visiting lockeys have return- Weight 147 lbs. I don't think ed to their home port, so that shall be far wrong in stating that today's meeting will mark the the finish will be confined to: resumption of local rivalry. Mr. Prince Delight (Mr. C. F. Ng). Place with winners of \$1,000 or A Ostroumoff has been most Strathnamara (Mr. Boycott), more in stakes barred. Weight successful so for and, together Flying Jib (Mr. Brodie), Fluke 147 lbs. Among the ponies enwith Mr. Needs should c mmand Shot (Mr. Tung) and Autumn tered the following are undoubtstrong support.

First Race

tion); --One mile, tace confined to Australian Sub- very well to take second place in count of its third placing in the scription P. nies of 1948, First the Trial Pinte after that it ran | Tientsin Stakes (First Section) Winners of \$1,000 or more in Derby the second day of the Car- to win against this lot of runatakes barred. Among the en- inval and since then has not ners. Regarding the second tries, I expect the winner to come made another appearance, lend, position, it is difficult to sav one of the following:-Possibility ing colour to rumours that some- whether Pacific will account for (Mr. S. C. Linng), Justice of thing is the matter with the Corrie Doo. These two should Ship (Mr. R. K. C. Chui), Gilda too happy about its chances of however, with Pacific as my and Corn Stakes (First Section) namara ran a good race but was on the fourth day of the Annual beaten by a superior animal in to Sapientia. This race was over opportunity of winning its first

Second Race

culations.

is quite capable of upsetting cal- winning here are bright.

Fourth Race

Hunghom Bay Handjeap -One Mile. This race will be contested by I 1947 are barred. Looking over Course Handleap for "C" Class in its track work during mornthe entries, I think the winner Australian ponies on the second ing gailing lately and should be from one of the day of the Carnival with Mr. watched as it may cause an up following:-Kim (Mr. Boycott), T. S. Leong up, Lightning (Mr. set when least expected, Lily (Mr. Brodje), Wodonga (Mr. S. C. Liang) has been penalised Needa) and Hurricane (Mr. S. by 17 lbs. Good as Lightning is, Mirs Bay Stakes.-(Third Sec-W. Lee). Kin and Lily are and in spite of the fact that it lion):-One Mile, both "A" Class ponies demoted is in fine condition, I doubt it | A perusal of the entries in this and are carrying 159 lbs, and can win over this distance on race, reserved for the third lot 155 lbs. respectively and al- account of its heavy burden of of the First Batch of 1948 Aus th ugh I cannot for a moment re- 159 lbs, but it will probably be tralian Subscription Ponies, giver commend the latter, I believe placed. Shanghai Beauty, carry- me the impression that one need that, despite this heavy burden, ing 159 lbs, with Mr. Needa up, not look further than Meteorolo Kim is capable of winning. I won the Phaethen Handjeap gist (Mr. Wong Yan) to win. base this assertion on the fact Section) for "C" Class Mustra- when it is borne in mind that it that at the 11th, Extra last year lian ponics on the third day of ran second to Desert Knight in it came second in the Loch Kat- the Carnival. Its weight has the All Out Stakes at the anrine Handicap for "A" Class been reduced by 7 lbs, as it will nual meeting. However, in view was then carrying 137 ibs. There and, with 152 lbs. to carry, and track work last Saturday, over is just the possibility, however, in view of the longer distance I the mile in 2.08.3, it will find that Kim may find this heavy think it ought to win. Jeep strong support, Fiesta (Mr. burden too much handicap and Hing, is, of course, the danger, Gregory) has also done well for this reason I suggest Wedonga as the likely winner. In the out the finish. Miami Beauty morning, may be worth while to Southern Handleap for "B" Class (Mr. Tang Man-wa) is also in fellow for a place. Mr. Needa ponics on the second day of the the race and may provide an up- will be entrusted with the task Annual Carnival Wodenga came set. in third ridden by Novice jockey

T. S. Leong carrying 148 lbs. As

Lighthouse Trial

Penzance, Feb. 5. 5 The men in Wolf Rock lighthouse. seven miles from Land's End, have only enough stores left them to last today.

RACE MEETING

They have not been relieved for 23 days and a helicopter is being prepared at Huldrose, near Penzance, to drop them food. A 40-miles per hour gale is raging round the rock.

Other lighthouses due for relief are Bishop's Rock, six miles from St. Mary's, Schly Isles, whose crew have been waiting for 30 days, and Longships Lighthouse, two miles from Land's End. since last Thursday.-Reu-

(Mr. Tang Man-wa). Sure Shot winning this race, though it may fancy. Maroubra is a go d out-(Mr. Young P.) and Merry be placed. In the Consolation sider and may prove a good bet Thoughts (Mr. Shieh). In the Hay | Stakes (Second Section) Strath. | for venturesome punters, Sixth Race Meeting. Possibility ran second Blue Sky, I think it has a grand (Second Section):-One Mile, half a mile, and as today's event | race. In the case of Fluke Shot, | tralian Subscription ponics will is more suited to it, I think Pos- I cannot understand why it has fight out the issue in this race and sibility should just about win, been such a dismal failure. It eliminating the "duds," I think There is, of course. Justice of was openly talked about as be the winner will be found among Peace to be reckoned with. This ing a good one of this year's the following:-Amazon (Mr. pony came fourth in the Also Australian ponies, but it has Bredie) Harvard (Mr. Shich).

Seventh Race

Mirs Bay Stakes, - (Second only. Eighth Race

tralian ponies with winners of Section):-One Mile.

Bradman To Tour England

Melbourne, Feb. 5. Don Bradman, Australia's Test captain, stated today that he had advised his co-selectors he would be available to tour England with the Australian crieket team this summer.

Bradman said: "Today I ad- Lasualties will be available for England. In M.C.C. but will retire from cricket after the tour.

sponsibility—one which I feel Indies. rejuctant to accept, but if re- They have cabled G. O. Allen, quired to do so, I feel this the captain there, asking whom would be my final opportunity he suggests would best fulfil his to serve the game which has requirements. played such a big part in my l

game in Australia.—Reuter. —Reuter

not out.

SHANGHAI INTERPORT SURPRISE

Shanghai, Feb. 6. In a surprise move the committee of the Shanghai Athletic Federation last night overruled the decision of the football committee to expel Nyl and Lee from. the Olympic Probables and Interport teams.

As a result the remaining five Tsing Peh players removed from the two selected sides are automatically reinstated.

The committee's decision means that Shanghal's Interport XI will be the same as originally selected. -Reuter.

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London, Feb. 6. The MCC announced today that Denis Compton, Edrich and Hut-"I recognise that another tour ton were not available fir cricket at my age will be a heavy re- reinforcements for the West

Earlier, it was stated that Hutton, when asked if he would be prepared to go, had replied that

Edrich gave the same reason The fifth Test match against and as for Compton, he was India, which starts here tomor- satisfied by Arsenal that "in his for the appellants. The res. a slow teaser that will fool the luserow, will be his last first-class own interests" he ought not to go, pondents were represented by cow-tail swingers. His mate work

SCORE

Melbourne, Feb. 6.

AUSTRALIA KNOCK

## Tenancy Appeal Dismissed

An appeal by Li Kwong Yu Tong (appellant) against the decision of a Tenancy Tribunal in refusing to grant an eviction order against. The Shun Yuk Cramer that his valuable battery Firm (respondents), was yes-terday dismissed by Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Pulsne Judge).

with costs fixed at \$150. The appeal was based on the hitters. Backing up Dale in the inground that the decision of a field will be Romeo Hamet at first-Tenancy Tribunal, delivered on about the only first-sacker in the May 1, 1947, in respect of 172 three loops batting at the tail-end of Hennessy Road, Ground Floor, the line-up. was wrong, in law and against the weight of the evidence.

Tenancy Tribunal, the respond tion. Ball-hawks with plenty of biff dents applied for the rental of in their bats will be Rea Sequiera the premises to be fixed by the Sid Hollands and Bub Remedies. Tribunal. The appellants, opposing the application, asked gers, a sure-fire infield, and a deterfor an order for eviction and mination to prove that they can ankle vacant possession of the pre-

Tribunal fixed monthly rental of the premises notices remains to be seen. at \$98, exclusive of water; and rejected Bradman is now 39 years of he would accept if business appellant's application for an down for the pitching assignment, eviction order and

розвеньют. Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared when you least expect it, or toss over Mr. F. Zimmern.

MATCH

## SUNDAY'S SOFTBALL Saints v Madcaps To Clash

(By "Grandstand") The Madcaps and Saints clash this week-end and, when the dust has settled, the question of percentage slugging against brilliant 13tching will

have been answered. partner Sabu Samy has been lost sight of-and if Dale expects to pull the coming game off in a triumphant those important base-hits-and Ramon blaze of glory he will have to depend hasn't got butter fingers either. on Samy's knowledge of the opposing

The Verlysen brothers, Manrice and Licky, will cavort around other bases with cracker-jack Robbie At the hearing before the Rocha filling on the short-stop posi-

The Saints have the heaviest slugup to the platter and knock anybody, anyday, anytime, out of the mound Whether the preponderous Saint clan the will, or will not, live up to advance

Saints' Team Easy going Jock Brown, who

vacant one of those fellows who say little but do much. He can throw a hook ing behind the plate will be Hall Wingles, who has been with the Saint clan as far as we can remem-

> First-sacker Stan Leonard holding the managerial reins this season is l right stop of the batting race and, hatting behind the redoubtable Dave Leonard in the clean-up slot, will be it Philippines .- Messrs. R. Castro and Dale Cramer's main worry.

Mentor Stan Leonard's strategem i The following have been invited to last week, as the murdering trio sock- gentlemen mentioned above. The play v. United Services at Chinese ed the apple for successive hits to put managers of the Indian and Great New Year on Feb. 10 and 11 at the them right ahead in the game against Britain contingents have specially re-H.K.C.C. ground. Play will com- the Rect. Third-liasemen. Benny quested that intending participants mence at II a.m. each day: - H. Owen Omar is like a streak of lightning contact them at the Softball Park on M.M. Little, E.C. Fincher, A.R. Minu, Bam on his left, will form an iron F. Howarih, F. Zimmern, R.E. Lee, curtain around the inner diamond.

A. Zimmern, L.D. Kilbee and A.R. | Sherry Bux, the fielder that made fielding history recently, when he can A cocktail party will be held in the lafter a deep fly which had "hit" 68 Wednesday, Feb. 11 and it is hoped most spectacular catch, that not only 48 there will be a good attendance of drew the thunder but also saved

Lt. Rock de Bescombes (The Buffs)

(R.A.), Lt. Moore (Inuisks). Capt.

Doherty (Innisks), Lt. Bruce (R.A.),

Lt. Parke (Innisks), I/Bdr. Brookes

(R.A.), Lt. Woolnough (R.E.), Capt.

Darwin (K.R.R.C.), Lt. Stevens

Reserves: Lt. Forrow, Bdr. Isbull.

CLUB RUGGER

this afternoon. Players will be

selected from Wright-Nooth, Johnston,

Dunnet, Cuscaden, A.J.G. Taylor, N. I.

Waid, Clark and Baker.

(Innisks), La. Begley (lunisks),

(Innisks).

### ARMY RUGGER ARMY CRICKET The following will represent the

The following will represent Army Army against, the Navy in a rugby against Royal Air Force in a friendly (match on the Club Ground at 3.19 cricket game at Sookunpoo on Sunday | p.m. today:--at 2 p.m.:-Capt. Darwin, Major Murray Borwn, Major Hope, Capt. Lt. De Rome (Green Howards). 1) Drew, Lt. Forrow, I/Cpl, Cockerill. Capt. Henderson (R.A.), Lt. Penrose ol Major Blasland, Capt. Roberts, u R.S.M. Monre, Major Majendie.

7 Members and their friends.

# Opened

yesterday in an inauguration ceremony at the Peninsula Hotel, when its first President, Mr. F. C. Clemo, received the congratulations of some 40 Hong Kong Rotarians and wellwishers.

and, with Bradman still to finish his organisation in Kowloon. He sponsorship.

classes of the community, in the success. way of clinics for the treatment | The felicitations of the spon-

Addressing the gathering Mr. [ Thanks were expressed to the mished the score along rapidly to Clemo stressed the high aims of District Governor and Hong

said the new Club will work in District Governor Dr. Li Shuclose co-operation with the Kow- | fan then congratulated the proloon. Residents Association to moters of the new Club on Among the services which will giving them some advice on the claim its attention and support work before them and of their will be the needs of the pourter responsibilities he wished them

of trachoma and TB and the soring Club were expressed by said members of both Clubs Cleme, had become very popular the propogation of the high ceived.

Heng Kong Rotary Club.

Veng Sik-kuen (Directors). Among the guests present, and necessities.

susides Rotarians, from Hong The clinic will be run by Mrs. ing sale has been assured by the Keng, were. Visiting -Rotarian Fido and Mrs. C.I.V. Jones. many and vaied gifts, already M.S. Bloch from Shanghai, whilst Capt, Miss Harris RAMC, received by the Families' Come (Capt. A.J.E. Lufl (Royal Army the families' dector, has offered mittee from shops and firms in Education Corps) and Mesers. her services for medical treat- the Colony. W.J. Geall, P.B. Parkes, ment. H.K. Long, J. McKelvie, N.P. Every other wook whiat drives prietors, The Newspaper Enterprise, and H.P. Balley. ...... thore will be sewing meetings, Windsor House, Hong Kong.

## So much has been said about Date | decisive ball game-has carned that Over in the right is hooky Ramon

Castro who can sock that apple for Canuckettes' New

**Players** 

The Canackettes, who are down to meet the Madeap Aces in the afternoon tilt, have been considerably strenghtened by the acquisition of former Truelight star Betty Li, but until they get that slot behind the batter plugged up, they will not win games easily. Other players who have signed up for the Maple Leafers are Violet Lee and Vivian Yo, and it seems that the Camekettes are making determined efforts to field a side of nine after the "Bees-Wildeats"

The Aces are aiming at the "China Mail" Shield and will not be taking any chances. Coach Buster Hollands will probably start Margie Xavier. No. I burler on the roster, with Teresa Baptista at the receiving end. Entries from aix nations for the International Series of 1948 have been received, and the following are the organisers of the teams:

Portugal:-Mr. A. M. Alves (Club ole Regreio). China:-Mr. C. B. Wong (South China).

India :- Messes. A. R. "Senior" Markar, A. J. "Jindoo" Hussain, Kassa Nazarin and H. Maasdeen,

U.S.A.; Dr. F. J. Molihen and Mr. Hanson (U.S.N.) Great Britain:-Mr. Stan Leonard.

Fred Diesta. Any player who is interested in in placing slugging ball-hawk Jindoo representing the above teams is re-Russain behind hint, paid dividends quested to get in touch with the . Fixtures and umpires' roster for

> Men's "A" Division C.B.A. Ground-Sunday:

week-end:---

9.30 a.m.—Filipinus v Canadians (H. Barros, Olly Vas. Tony Osmund). 1.15 a.m.—St. Joseph's v Madcaps (H.A. "Riri" Noronha, Don Robbins, H. Quon).

Recreio Football Ground-Sunday: ).30 a.m.—Rovers v V.R.C. (Éddic Lawrence, Les Castro, G. Langenberg).

1.15 a.m.-Police v South China (L. Eriksen, J. Franco, F. Diesta). Recreio Softhall Diamond-Sunday: 9.30 a.m.-H.K. Baseballers v Recreio

(A.V. Gosano, C. Yvanovich, Juna Remedias). C.H.A. Ground-Sunday:

Roberts (The Buffs), Lt. Symes 2.30 p.m. -- Madcap Aces v Canadians (W. Lawrence, M. Verlysen, Bimby Ablong). Men's "B" Division

Recreio Football Ground-Saturday: 2.30 p.m.-Rangers v U. Nations ' (Eddie Lawrence, Les Catro, Jos & 4.00 p.m .- Cosmos v Wildfires (Mis-

kin Samy, R. Hearndon, Rogie). Club are playing H.M.S. Sussex at | G.H.A. Ground: Rugby on Club Ground at 4.15 p.m. 2.30 p.m .- Rexes v Blue Beetles (Hal Winglee, W. Lawrence, Billy

Silva). Kerr, R. Thompson, J. Tinson, Recreio Football Grand-Sunday: Sclater, Wilson, Mackie, Yanghan, 2.30 , p.m.-Dare-devils v Jaguare (Philo Remedios, Sabu Samy, Olly Var).

Service Families Club Opening

The opening ceremony of the Service Families Club will be performed this afternoon at 3 p.m. by Mrs. G. W. E. J. Erskine, wife of the G.O.C. Hong Kong.

provision of children's play. President Dr. F.I. Tseung who and Buy" sale will be held. Al- ties being on the premises. In ready many valuable articles the Club garden there are bad-The new Club, said. Mr. should work hand in hand in and provisions have been re- minton and tennis quoit courts,

> Officers of the new Clubs are: in Whitefield Barracks has been and prove a great success. F.C. Clomo (President); E.J.S. organised by the Service Famfor children and sell baby foods in the playground.

After the opening a "Bring both sewing and ironing facilla including produce, plus a children's playground The Club, cpen all and every

The Club, which is situated a very useful asset to families Mrs. Beattle and members of

Tsu (Vice President); Alexan- ilies' Committee, of which, Mrs. the Committee are hoping that and P.Y. Wong, A.A. Dand, chairman. Attached to the Club coived from residents of Hong W.A. Ankerson, W.S.T. Leuey, will be a clinic which will offer Kong, will enable them to have ".G. Craig, Lo Shu-chlu and medical advice and treatment a children's padilling pool built

The nuccess of to-day's open-

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## Selections By "Rapier'

afternoon and with Mr. Needa This race is confined to the

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its weight remains the same this Section): -One Mile.

Race No. 1. POSSIBILITY JUSTICE OF PEACE SURE SHOT Outsider: - Good Ship. Race No. 2. WODONGA KIM Outsider!-Ilurricane. Race. No. 3: FLUKE SHOT PRINCE DELIGHT FLYING JIB Outsider:-Autumn Leal. Race No. 4. SHANGHAI BEAUTY LIGHTNING JEEP HING Outsider:-Miami Beauty. Race No. 5. CONSTANT STAR PAGIFIG

CORRIE DOO

Outsider:-Maroubta.

Race No. 6. HARVARD AMAUON HEROIC LASSIE Outsider:-Priority.

Fifth Race

Race No. 7. METEOROLOGIST FIESTA HYALINE Outsider:-Ding How,

Race No. 1. JACKAL ROSEBUD AL FRESCO Outsider:-Blue Peter.

Race No. 9.

PLEASANT VALLEY CITY OF MELBOURNE KING OF PEACE Quisider: Nevertire.

William Callet Albania

Leaf (Mr. Shich). Actually, edly the best:-Constant Star Prince Delight is the best pony (Mr. Shieh), Pacific (Mr. S. W. Mirs Bay Stakes,- (First Sec. here, but somehow it does not Tang), Corrie Doo (Mr. Brodie) seesn to be its usual self during and Maroubra (Mr. Gregory), 1 The programmie opens with a morning exércise. This ponyran recommend Constant Star on ac-Weight 147 lbs. unplaced in the Hong Kong on the third day of the Carnival. (Mr. Lawrence), Good pony, For that reason I am not provide an interesting

Gin Drinkers Bay Stakes.-The Second Batch at 1948 Aus-Ran Stakes (First Section) over not yet come up to expectations. Heroic Lassie (Mr. Lawrence), Six furlongs and, as it is also However, it should do well here. Priority (Mr. Tang Man-wa) quite good over this distance, I Flying Jib is also in the race and Radar (Mr. Y. K. Tu). expect to see it fairly near at and can be expected to make, a Amazon will probably find the the finish. Good Ship, Gilda and light of it up to the finish. Au- distance just to its liking and a India. Sure Shot have shown good tumn Leaf is dangerous—this win here is not impossible as the form in their , morning gallops pony seemed to improve after pony is in fine condition. Harand I am sure they will give the the Carnival and Judging from vard and Heroje Lassie did well good fight to the end. In Merry day morning in 2.02.3 with a last Valley Stakes (Second Section) sharp stumping chance while a snick Harvey, not out Thoughts we have a pony which quarter of 28", its chances of and Hay and Corn Stakes (Third through the slips, as usual, went Loxton, not out | Section | respectively and should | begging. be well supported accordingly. Bias Bay Handicap: - One Priority has been knocking at the door of success at the An-I nucl Meeting and although it This race will be decided by "C" Class Australian ponies with that not gain a place as yet, "B" Class Australian Ponies with winners of \$2,000 or more in should not be disregarded as it a proviso that winners of \$2,000 stakes since Sept. 1, 1947, hard is good enough to win here. or more in Stakes since Sept. 1, red. After its win in the Old Radar has shown improvements

over Six furlongs and again be ridden by Mr. Needa, of Hyaline (Mr. Shieh) fine and I expect to see it fighting over the mile last Saturday to be ignored as an outsider

Talwan Bay Handicap: - One up it certainly has a good chance second lot of the First Batch of Mile. This ruce for "D" Class Aus-

When stumps were drawn today in the fifth and final Test, Australian had scored 336 runs for three wickets, with Harvey 78 and Loxton 48 Australia are building up another [innings, India are facing a thankless | Hughes (Captain), J.E. Richardson, around the hot-corner and with the Sunday morning at 10.30 a.m. big total in their final match against lask, Scores.— AUSTRALIA—15T INNS. Bradman, in his last test match in Barnes, run out and amountains and Australia: retired with a torn back Brown, run out

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muscle after making 57. At the start Bradman, refired ...... Bradman soon settled down, how-

ever, and was looking for runs which came with some well-placed Brown, before 'scoring, survived a | Phadkar .............. confidential appeal for at entel at the Amarnath ...... 18 wicket off Phadkar, Brown, with Rangachari ......... 10 sound and steady batting and attract Hazare ...... ive strokes now and then made sure [Mankad] f his place in the Australian touring I Sarwate amount ide for England next summer, and Nayudu ..... ..........

Rouning between wickets had not wen confident and was responsible or both Barnes and Brown Josing

heir wickers. Harvey was locky not to be run out when Gul Mohamed fumbled and ailed to gather the ball the first time. The batting success of Harvey and loxion may help them to secure

Mankad was mastered by Bradman early on and never bowled so well ifterwards. He now appears to have bowled himself to a standstill with no life in his deliveries. Nayudu, if given a chance to find

daces in the touring side.

his form, may give the much needed sting to the attack. In the last hour, Australia as usual inish the first day in a strong position Rotary and the need for such an Kong Rotary for their help and

out for an outsider, I suggest of riding Ding How, and it is not Blue Peter, a type of pony which bring about a better Kowloon. bringing it into being, and after can win if it will take it into its head to run.

Ninth Race

Mirs Bay Stakes, - (Fourth

\$2,000 or more in stakes since This is the final event of the Sept. 1, 1947, barred is more or day, in which the last lot of the less in the nature of a return First Batch of 1948 Australian (Mr. Ostroumell), Rosebud (Mr not won \$1,000 or more in stakes and many had applied for mem principles of Rotary and in com- Jumble and White Elephant, with swings and see-saws. Shieh), Al Fresco (Mr. S. W. will settle the argument. Look- borship, but they would not be munity service. Lee) and Blue Peter (Mr. Black). ing at the entries, it would ap- able to consider further admis- 'Mr. Tseung then presented to the course of the afternoon tens day to Service and RN Dock-In the Victoria Handicap over pear that Pleasant Valley (Mr. slove until the Charter arrives President Clemo a flag from the und refreshments will be served. Ford families, is expected to be, the mile on the first day of the Ho Hong Ping), which was re- ifrem Rotary International. Annual Meeting, in which they garded as among the best of this clashed, Jackal managed to year's Australian ponics, suffered snatch a grand victory from the effect of the 6-1/2 rounds run ST. JOSEPH'S TEAM Resebud, but this was due more away gallop on Dec. 18, 1947 The following will represent St. der. D. Tuskia (Hon. Sec.); J.H. Reattie, wife of Lt. Col. the proceeds from to-day's sale to Mr. Shieh's over-confidence which prevented it from making Joseph's in the First Division football W.T. Grimsdale (Hon. Treas.); Beattle, 25 Fieln Regt. RA., is plus the denations being rethan the poor performance of the an appearance during the Car- game on Sunday against South China. Today Resebud will be nival: It is, therefore, making MacDougall; Leonard and Gorano: carrying 144 lbs. instead of 142 its debut this afternoon, and, Hussain, Marson and Rumjah The pendulum in betting without belitting the opposition, Xavier, Percira, Toledo, Gomes n probly swing towards I am of the opinion that Pleasant Omar. Jackal by virtue of its win in the Valley should win - probably about race, although it has been without much difficulty. City of penalised by 13 lbs. I think it Melbourne (Mr. K. Kwok) was will just about accomplish it fourth in the All Out Stakes versus H.K.C.C. on Saturday, /11 again, but Rosebud, must be should take second position. For instant, commencing at 2 p.m., seriously considered as a poten- the third position a great Sockunpoo -A.R. Abbas, A.R. Kir

## e was unlucky to be run out when Adikhari ... Umpire C.Q.M.S. Merry. Kowloon's

The Kowloon Rotary Club was formally opened

I.R.C. TEAM

The following will tepresent I.A.

tial danger. Carrying 149 lbs. struggle should ensue between thell A.H. Madar, A.K. Ismall, M.I. Al Fresco cannot expect to do King of Peace (Mr. Y. K. Tu) Resect. (A.R. Suffied, A. el Arculli, better than fill third place, and and Nevertire (Mr. Young Jr., A.R.H. Bemell, S. Alpeo, T. Ebra. | Smith, F.D., Clemo, U.L. Lui will be held, and every week Limited, by Walter James Kaates, am and S.A. Jemali, I for those who are on the look- Peter).